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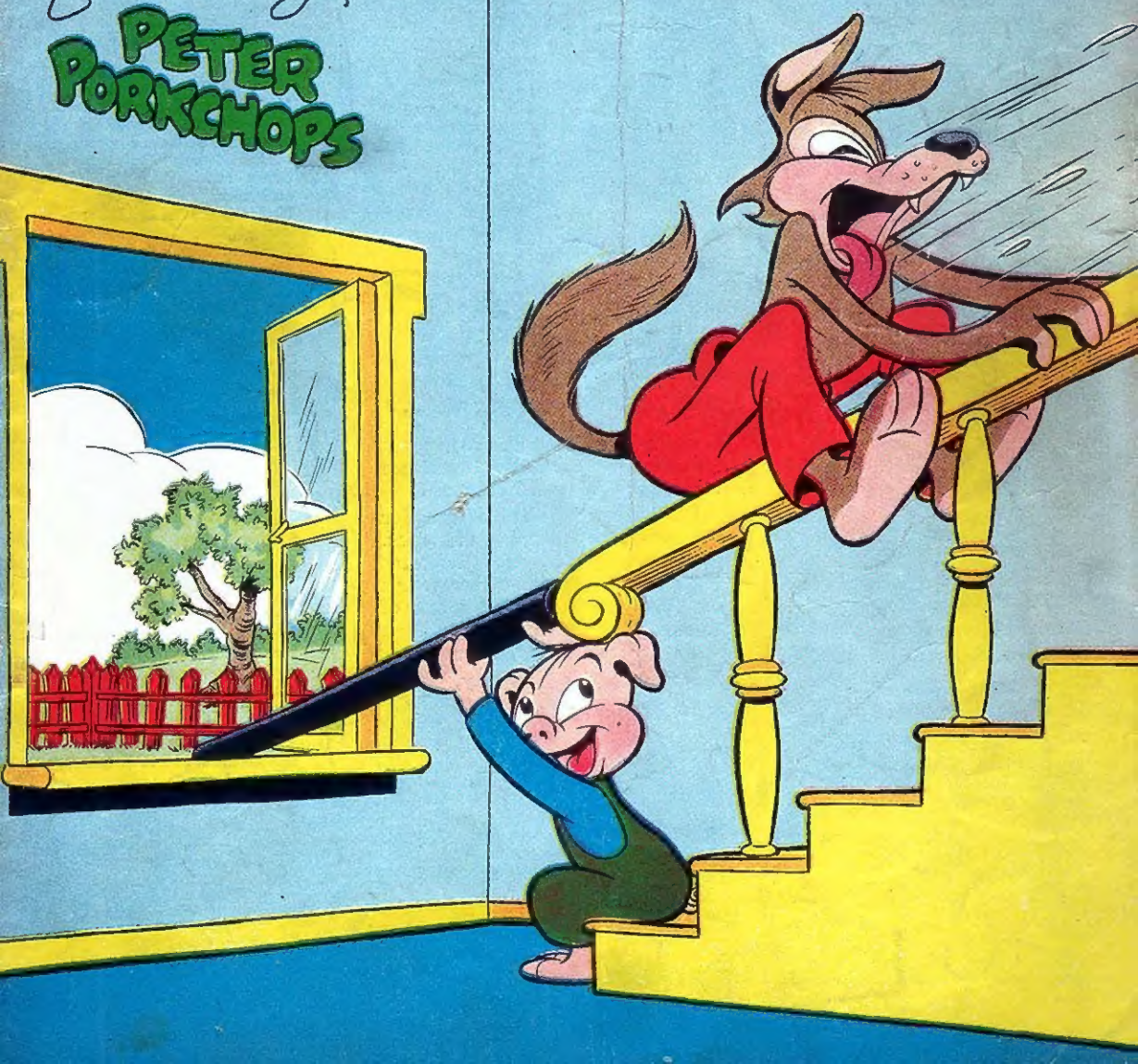
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featuring
**PETER
PORKCHOPS**

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Brownie Flash Six-20 Camera
Makes splendid snaps "around the clock." Full-color pictures, too, in bright sun. Two-position focusing helps get sharp, clear snaps. Negatives, $2\frac{1}{4} \times 3\frac{1}{4}$. \$10.50 plus tax; Flashholder, \$2.50 plus tax.



Baby Brownie Special Camera
Makes good snaps simple, sure. Full-color, too, in bright sunlight. Fixed focus lens. Negatives, $1\frac{1}{8} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$. \$2.75 plus tax.



Brownie Reflex Camera
Large image on the view finder previews your picture. So easy to make sure your snaps are "just right." Negatives, $1\frac{1}{8} \times 1\frac{1}{8}$. \$9.50 plus tax; Flashholder, \$3.45 plus tax.

Kodak



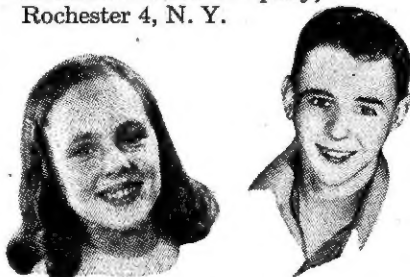
Which Kodak Camera for Christmas?

Here's help in making up your mind . . .

Looking for a camera . . . a camera for a beginner . . . for an all-out ace . . . or for someone in between?

On this page are six cameras. For the money, each is tops in its class. Chances are your Kodak dealer has these or other Kodak cameras. Ask him for the full story of what each of them has to offer—color shots, flash shots, action pictures, and so on.

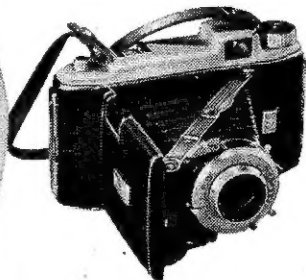
Eastman Kodak Company,
Rochester 4, N. Y.



Kodak Duaflex Camera
Big, brilliant reflecting finder shows you exactly what you're getting before you press the button. Fixed focus. Negatives, $2\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{1}{4}$. \$11.75 plus tax, including protective lens shield, neck strap. Flashholder, \$2.50 plus tax.



Kodak Flash Bantam Camera f/4.5—Smallest Kodak miniature; fits pocket or handbag. Makes full-color Kodachrome transparencies—for projection on home screen—for big Kodachrome Prints. Lumenized f/4.5 lens. 1/200-second shutter. Built-in flash. \$50 plus tax. Flashholder, \$9.50, plus tax.



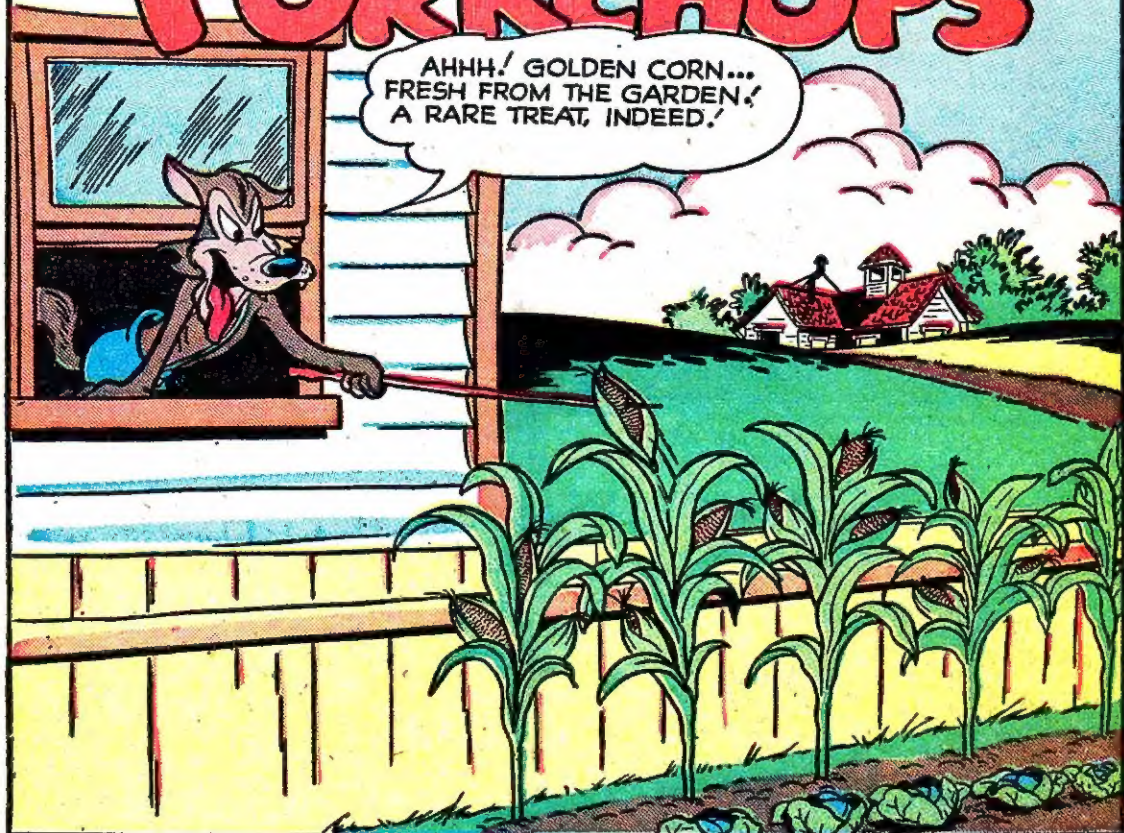
Kodak Tourist Camera
Finest folding model yet. Smart, modern styling. Enclosed optical view finder. New type shutter release for bedrock steadiness. Black-and-white pictures, $2\frac{1}{4} \times 3\frac{1}{4}$; Kodachrome Prints, about $3 \times 4\frac{1}{2}$. Range of models from \$25 to \$61.50 plus tax.

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PETER PORKCHOPS

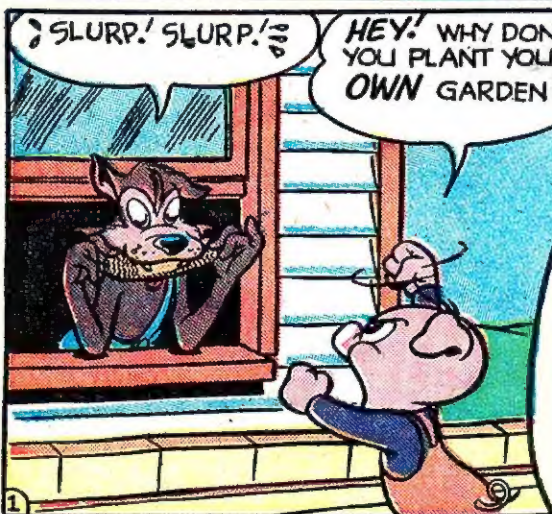
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FRESH FROM THE GARDEN!
A RARE TREAT, INDEED!



SLURP! SLURP!

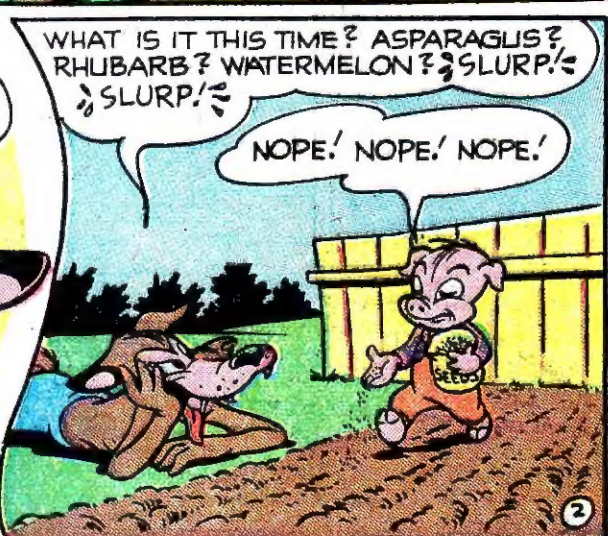
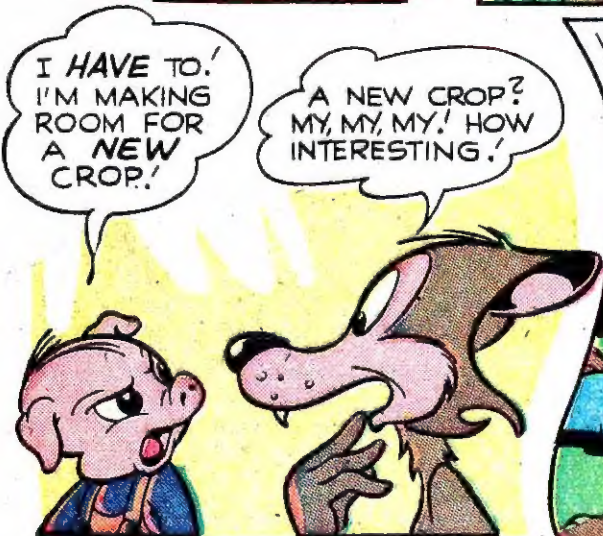
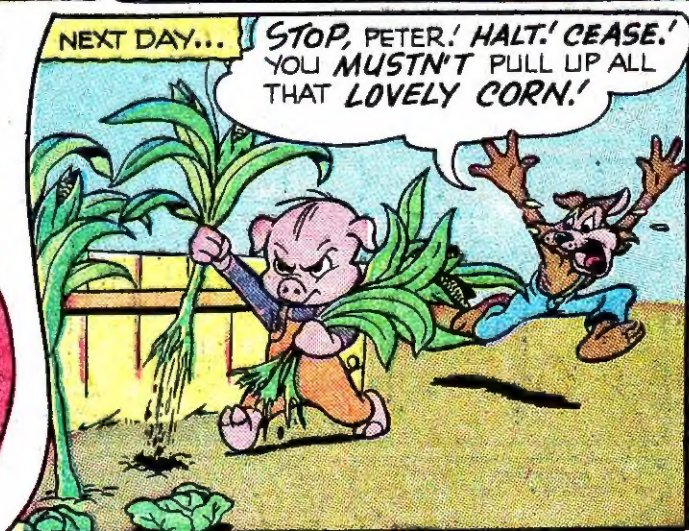
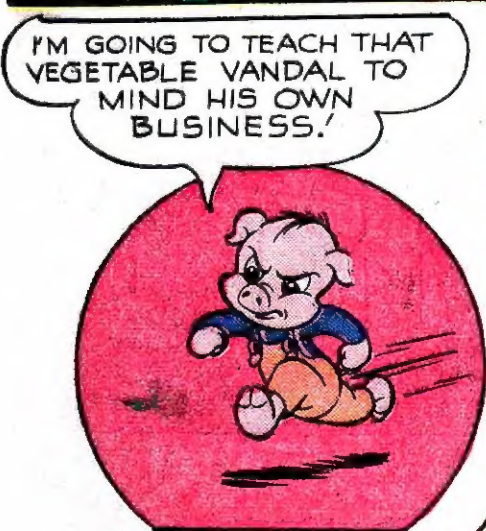
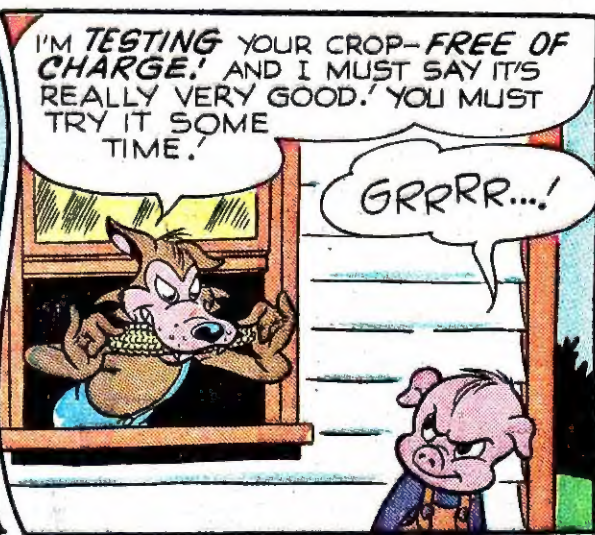
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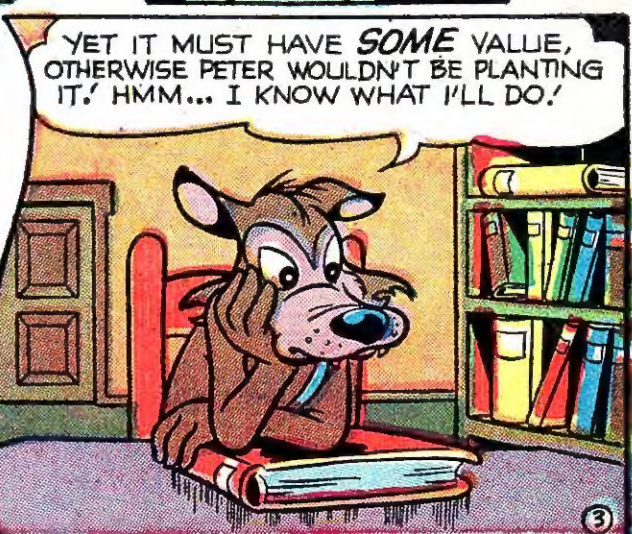
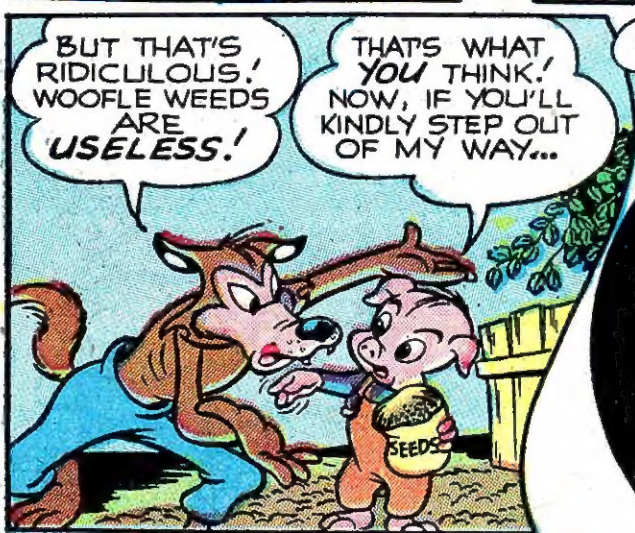
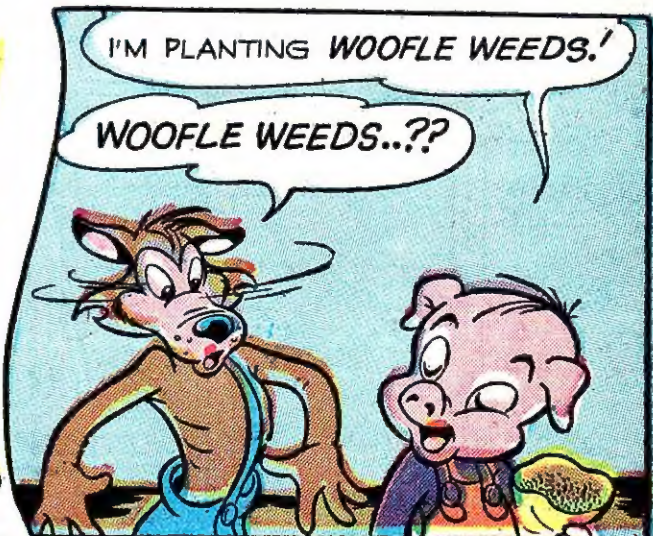
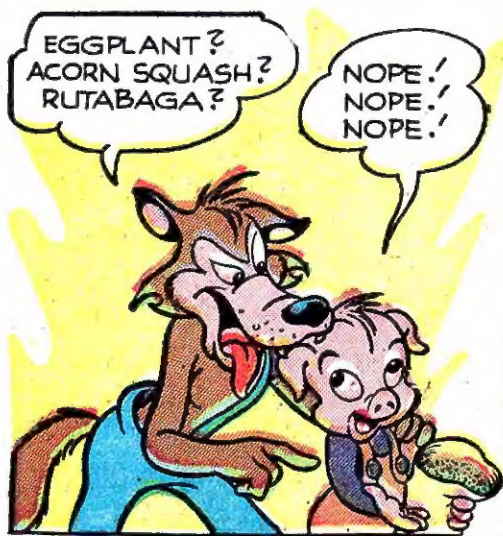
WHY SHOULD I WHEN YOURS IS
SO CONVENIENT? BESIDES, I'M
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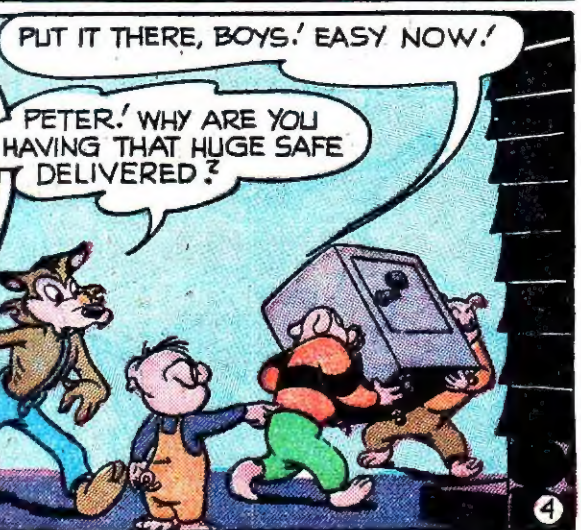
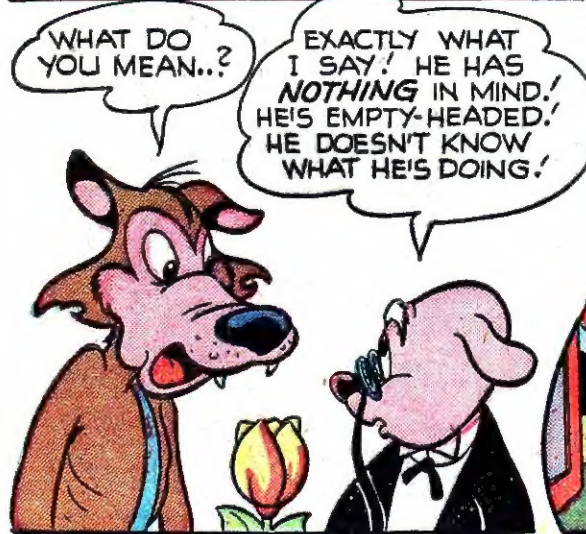
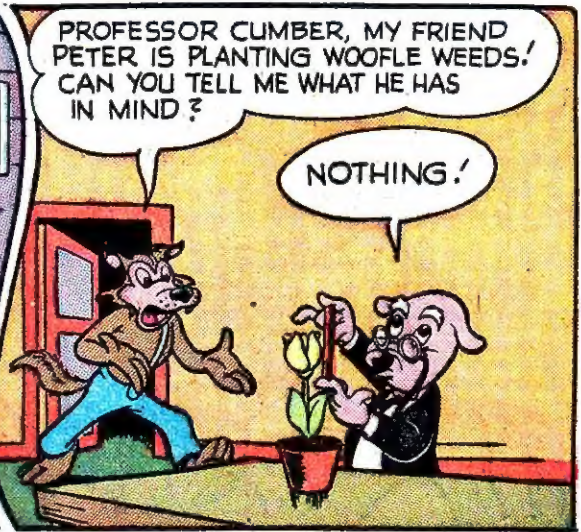


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TSK! TSK! WHAT A SILLY QUESTION!
IN THAT CASE I'M GOING TO KEEP
ALL THE MONEY I MAKE FROM
MY WOOFLE WEEDS!

BUT, PETER! *HOW* ARE YOU GOING
TO MAKE MONEY FROM WOOFLE
WEEDS...??

THAT'S *MY* SECRET!

IT MUST BE SO! HE *HAS*
DISCOVERED A SECRET
USE FOR THEM!

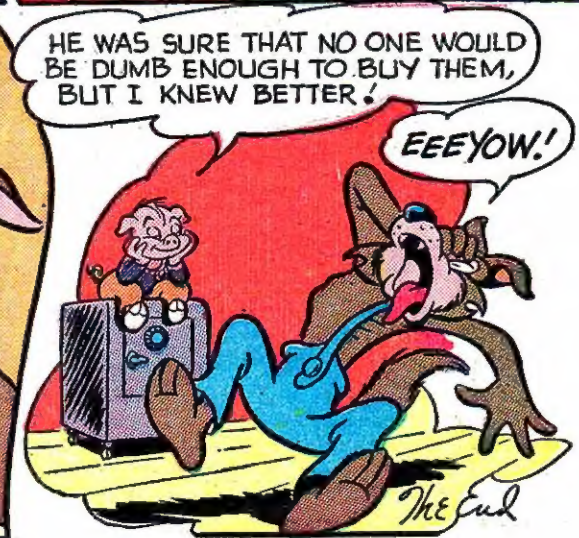
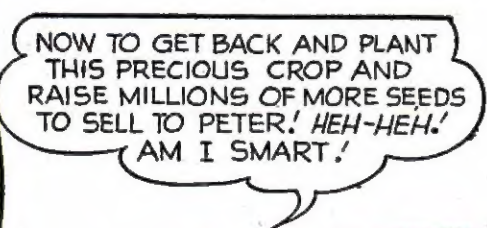
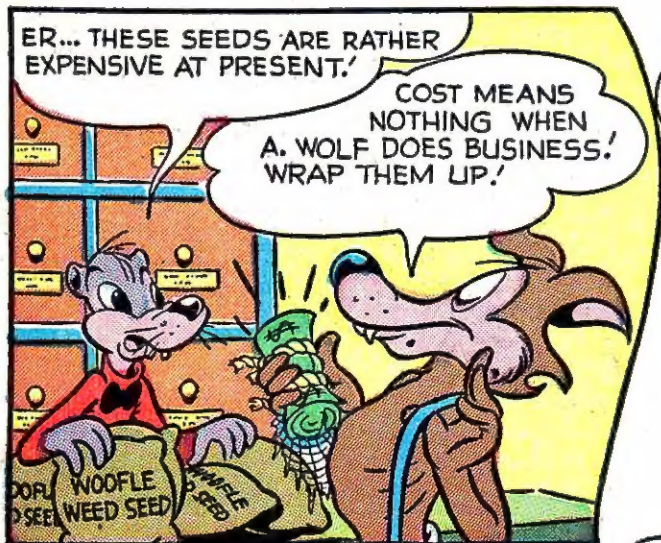
-AND IF *HE* CAN MAKE MONEY OUT OF
WOOFLE WEEDS, *SO CAN I!*

WILLIE WEASEL
SEEDS OF ALL
KINDS

I'LL BUY ALL THE
WOOFLE WEED SEEDS
ON THE MARKET...
THEN WHEN PETER
NEEDS MORE, HE'LL
HAVE TO BUY THEM
FROM *ME*-AT *MY*
PRICE!

QUICK! YOUR ENTIRE STOCK OF WOOFLE
WEED SEEDS!

YES, SIR!
COMING UP!



BOYS! GIRLS!

MAGNETIZED NEEDLE
ALWAYS POINTS
NORTH!



HURRY! BE THE FIRST TO AMAZE
YOUR GANG WITH A GENUINE MAGNETIC

NAVIGATOR'S COMPASS RING!

REAL MAGNETIC NEEDLE
—ALWAYS POINTS NORTH!



FITS ANY
FINGER!
PLASTIC DOME
LIKE NAVIGATOR'S BUBBLE
ON BIG PLANE!

GENUINE
NICKEL-PLATED
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HEY NIP! THERE'S A LIGHT
FLASHING OUT THERE!
LOOKS LIKE AN S.O.S.!



SEE? THREE SHORT...
THREE LONG...THREE SHORT
AND MY COMPASS RING
SAYS ITS EAST-NORTHEAST!



...AND THE LIGHT-
HOUSE BEARS
SOUTHWEST!
COME ON! WE'VE
GOT TO PHONE THE
COAST GUARD!



MEANWHILE
OUT AT SEA.

LATER: IN A NEARBY FARMHOUSE!

THAT'S RIGHT, COMMANDER.
THE S.O.S. CAME FROM
EAST-NORTHEAST, AND
THE LIGHTHOUSE WAS
SOUTHWEST OF US!



HERE SHE COMES! THE
COAST GUARD HELICOPTER!



BOY! WATCH HER HEAD
EAST-NORTHEAST AS SOON
AS SHE GETS OVERHEAD!

...SO WE PICKED UP ALL
FOUR SURVIVORS...
THANKS TO YOUR
SPLENDID DIRECTIONS



AND THANKS TO OUR
NAVIGATOR'S
COMPASS
RINGS!

GREAT FOR HIKES! Especially in
the woods, when snow covers
your tracks. Always wear it!

FISHING WITH DAD! You're naviga-
tor... tell others how to get
back if a fog comes up!

WHEN A PLANE GOES BY... figure out its
course, tell what city it's headed for.
WONDERFUL FUN—all year 'round!



HERE'S ALL YOU DO

—Just send front of Smith Brothers Cough Drops box—Black or Menthol—and 15¢ in coin—with coupon at right. That's the only way you can get your Navigator's Compass Ring. We'll rush it to you—right away. So hurry! Write to Smith Brothers, P.O. Box #368, Providence, Rhode Island.

MAIL THIS COUPON NOW!

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Enclosed find front from Smith Brothers Cough Drop
box plus 15¢. Rush my ring to me at once.

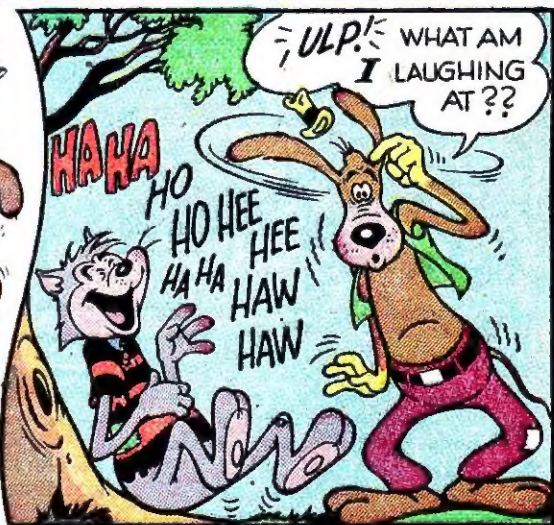
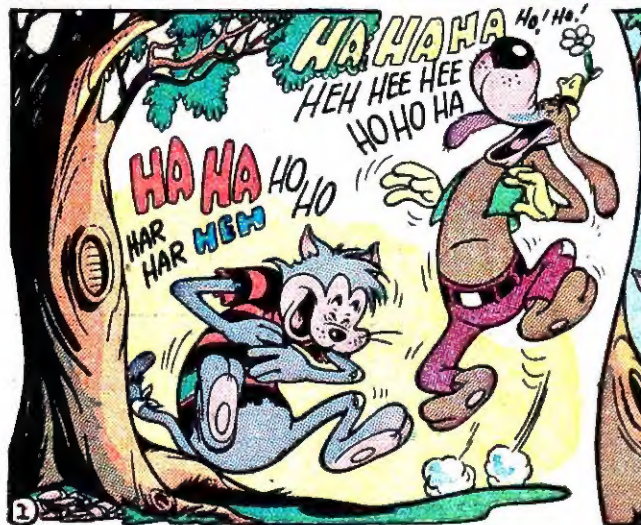
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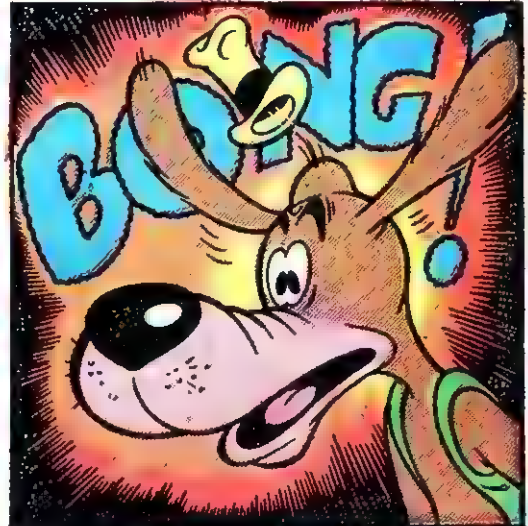
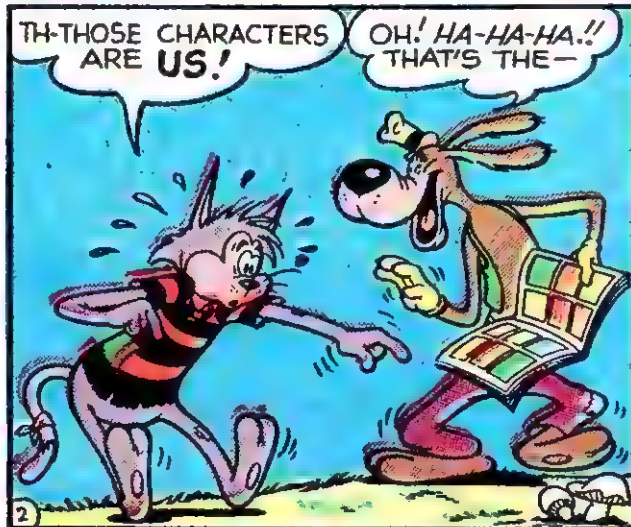
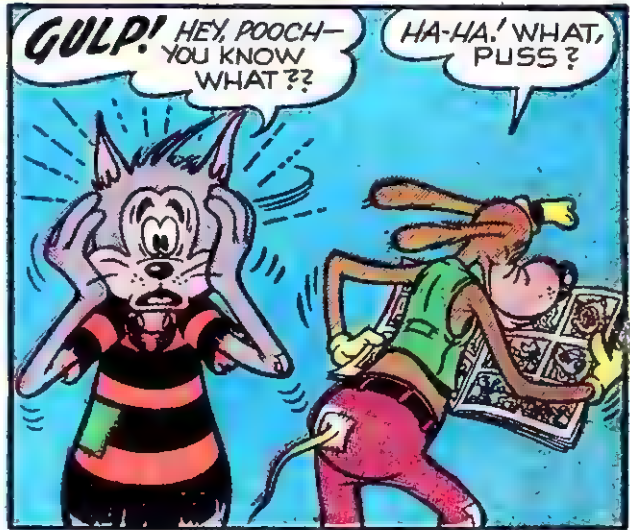
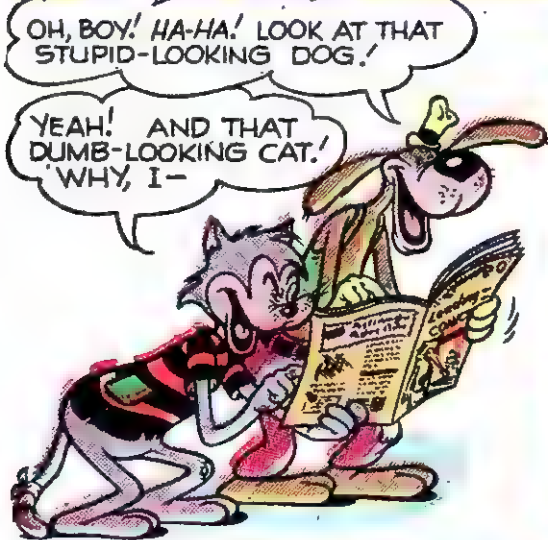
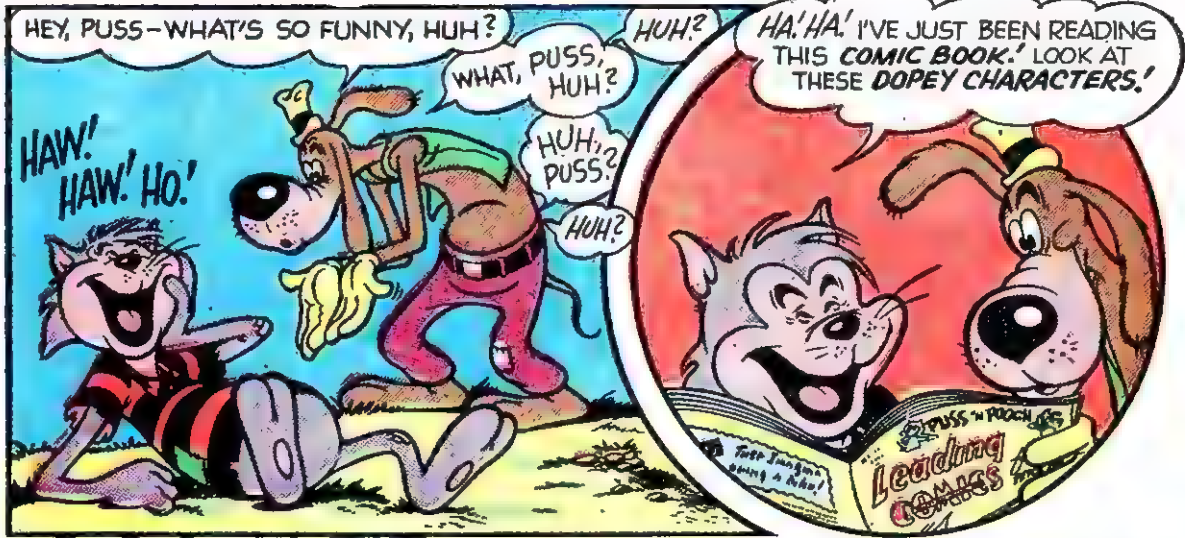
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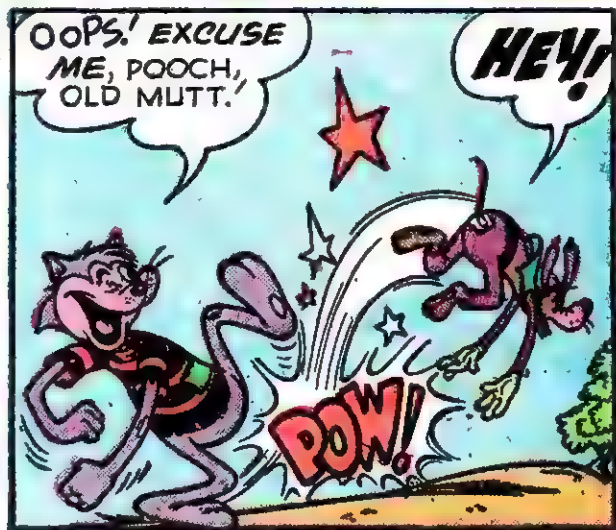
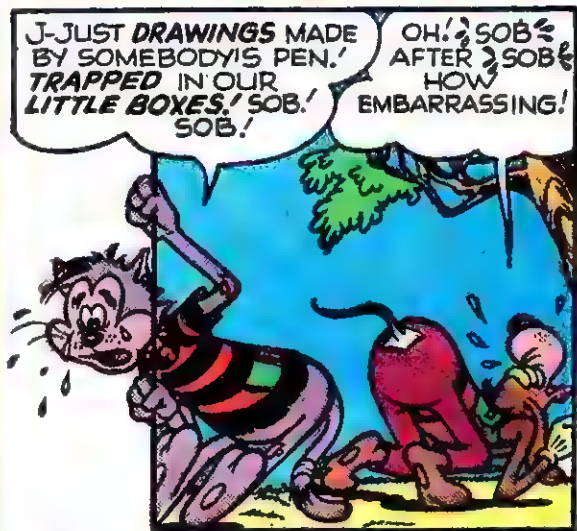
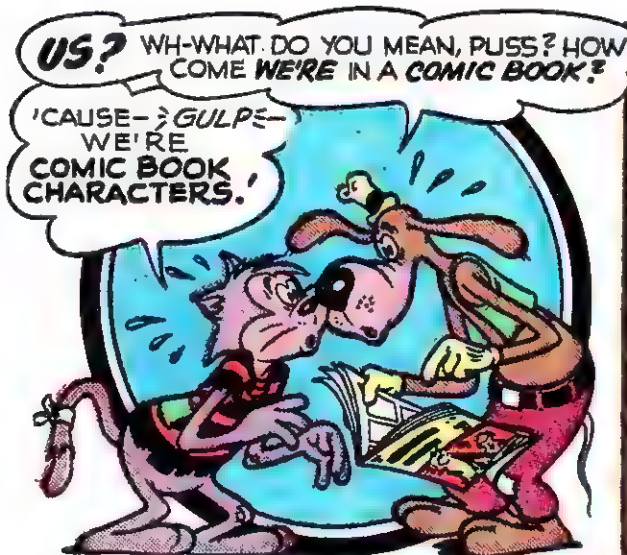
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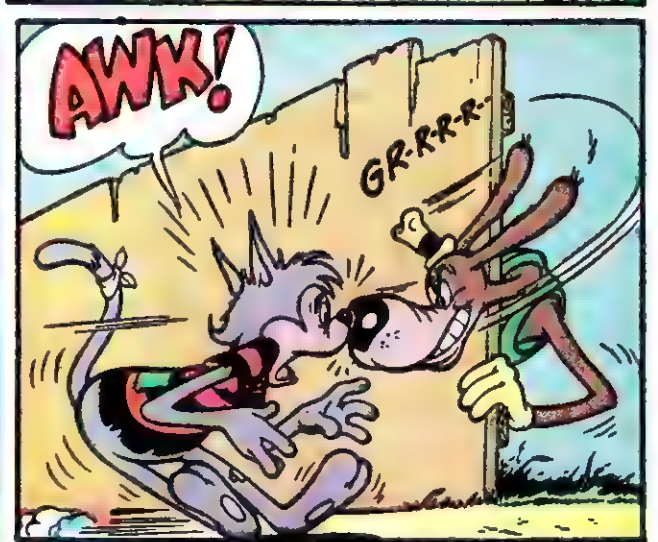
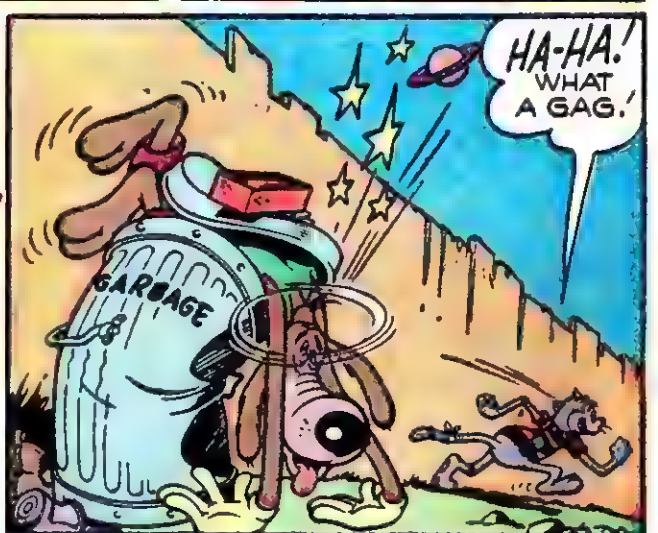
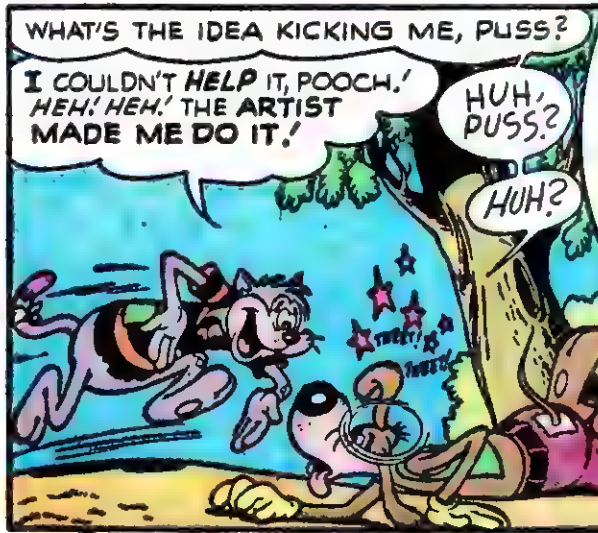
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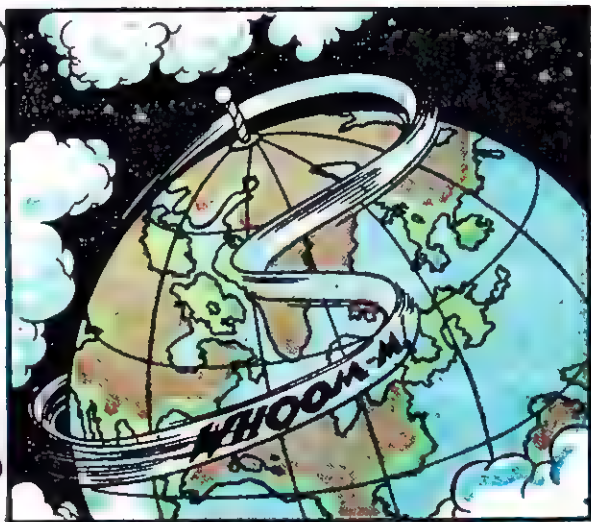
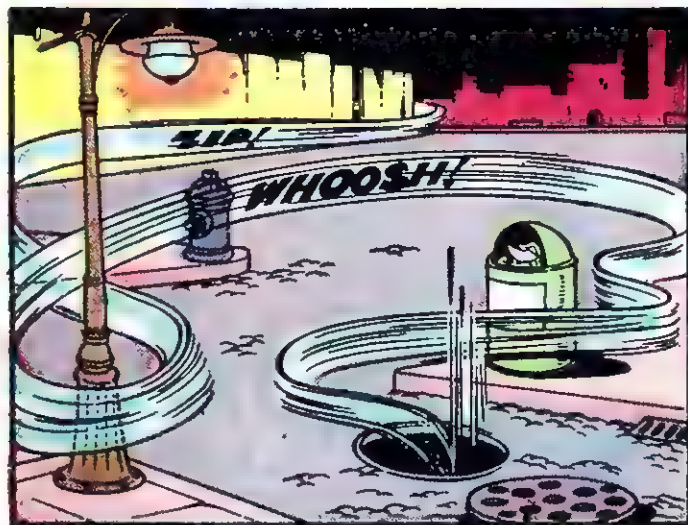
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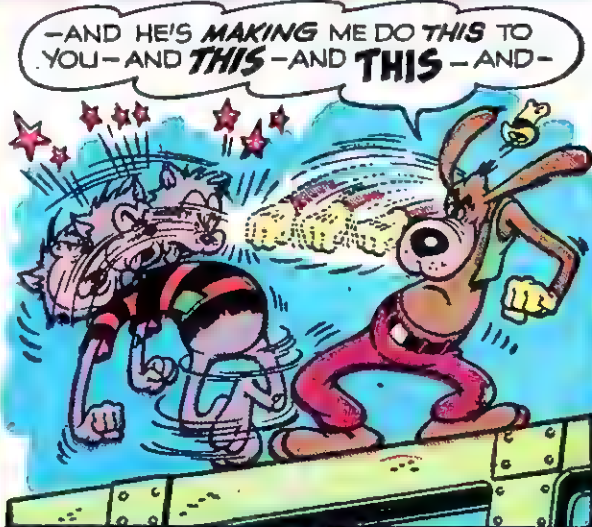
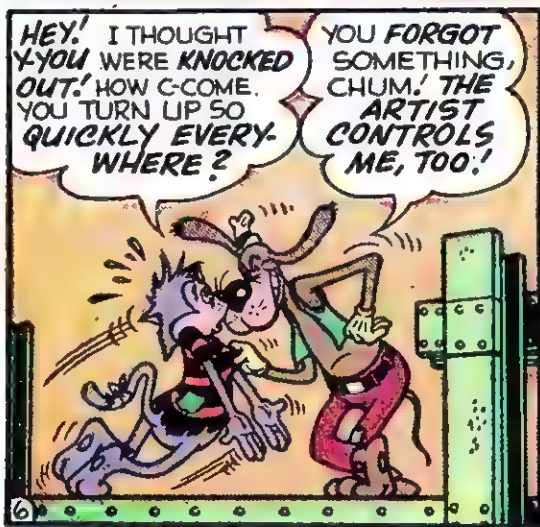
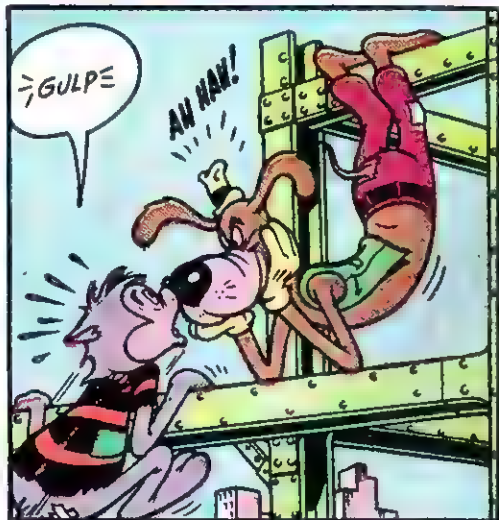
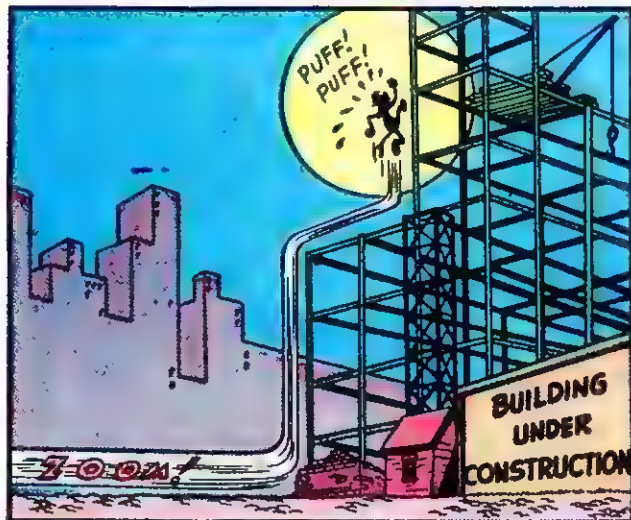
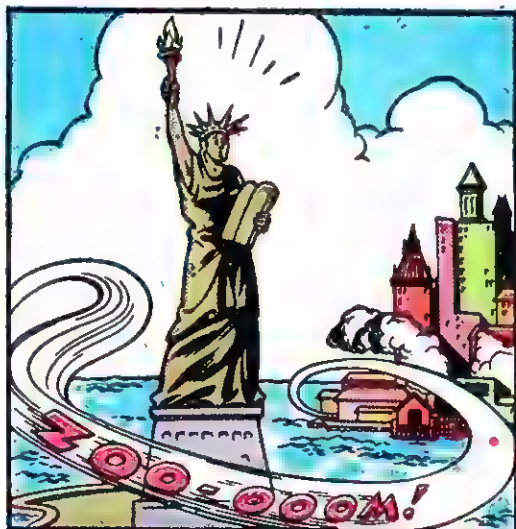
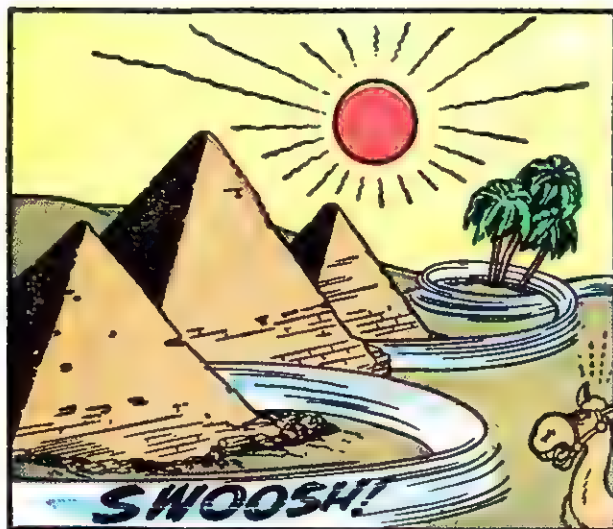


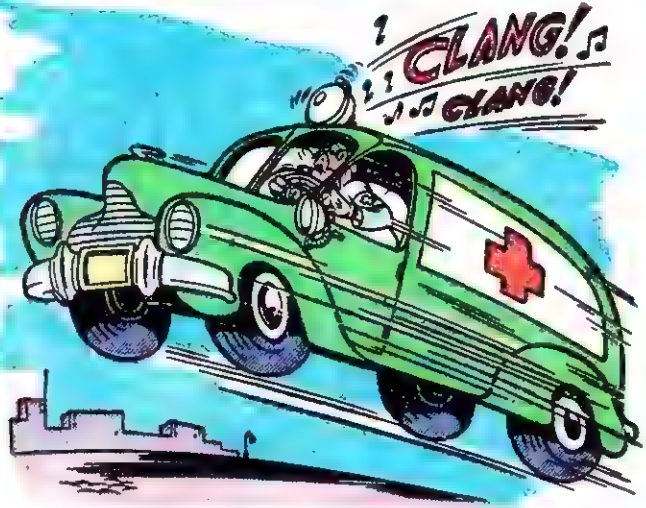
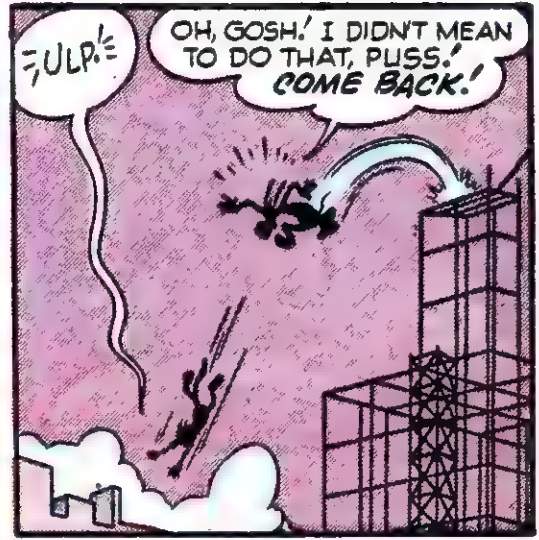
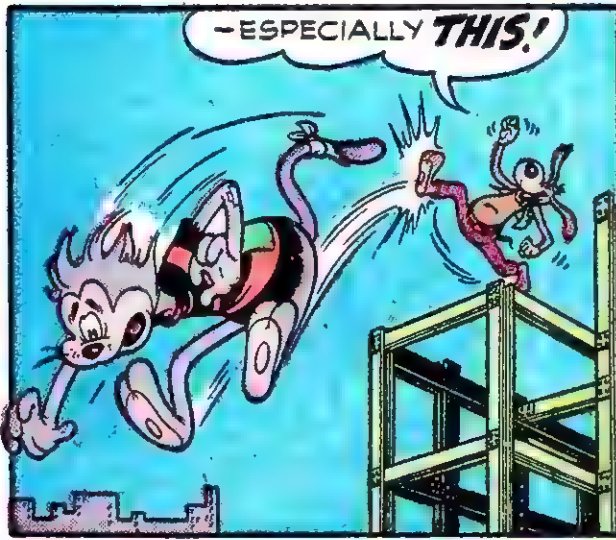






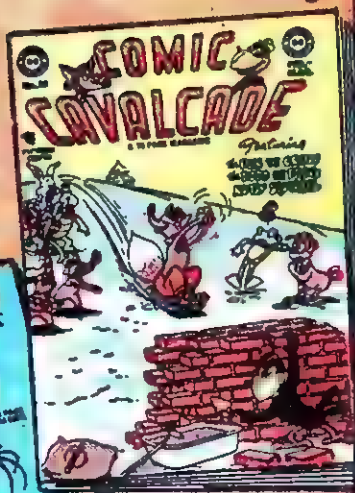
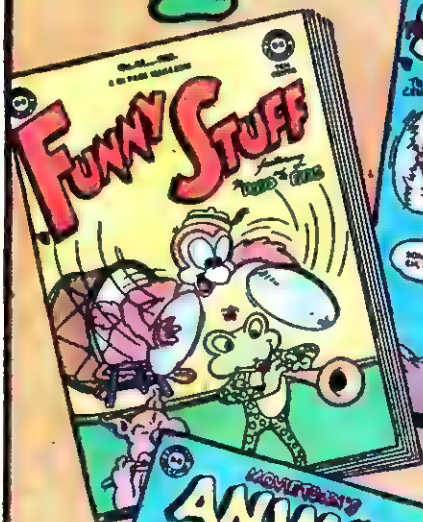




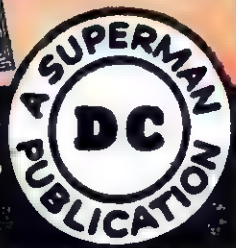


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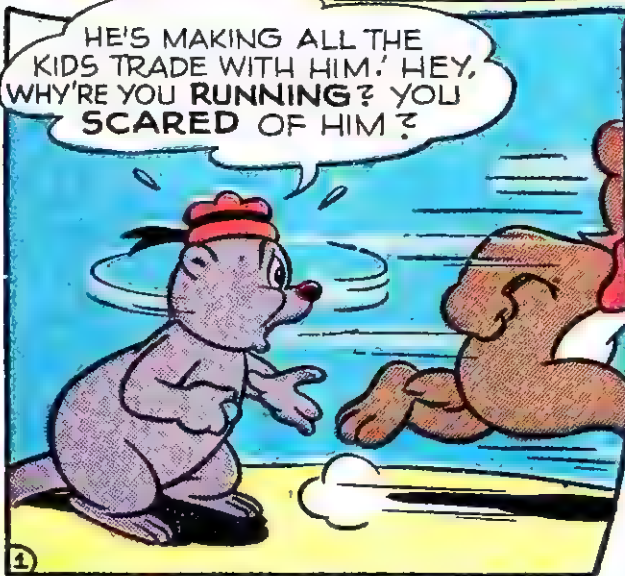
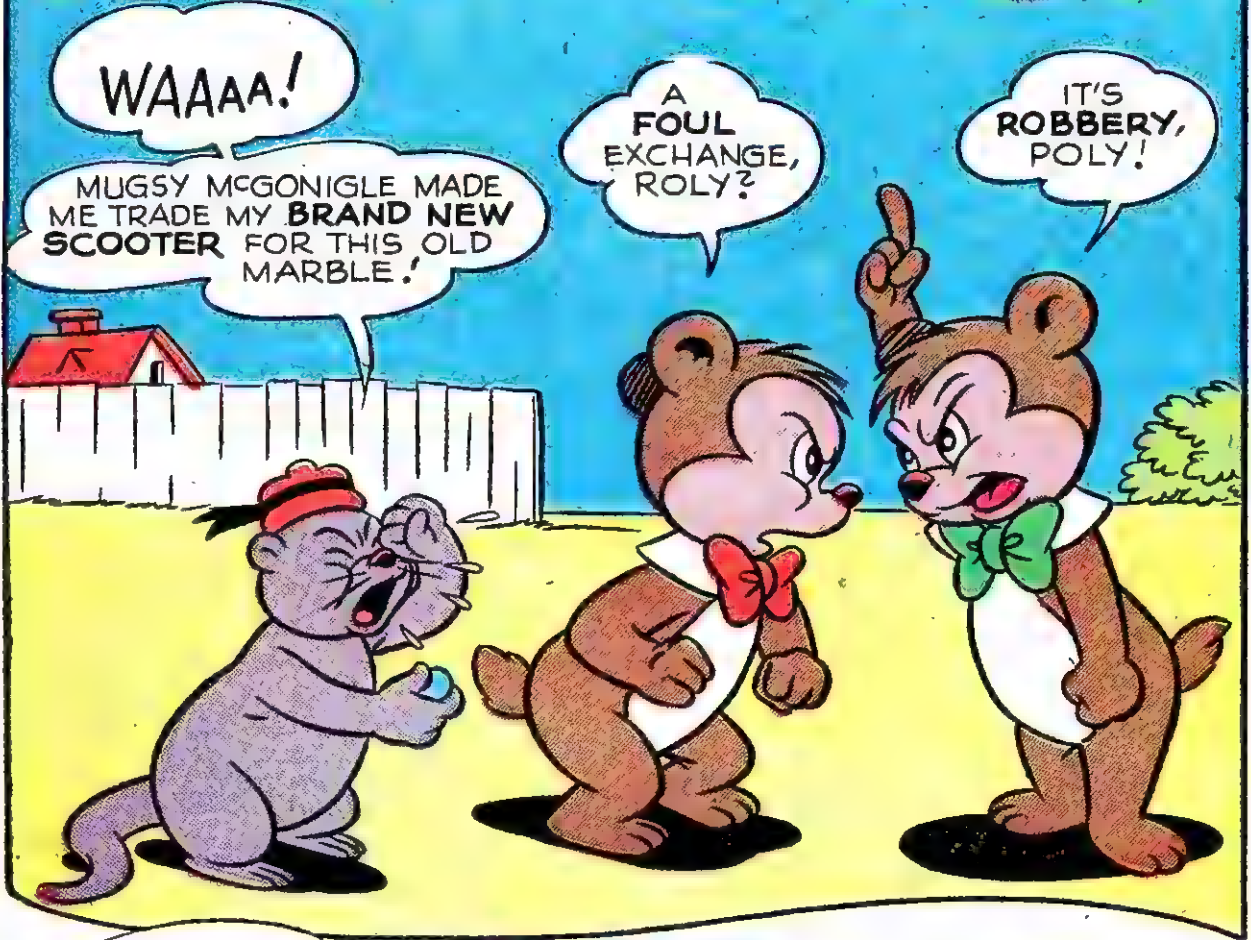


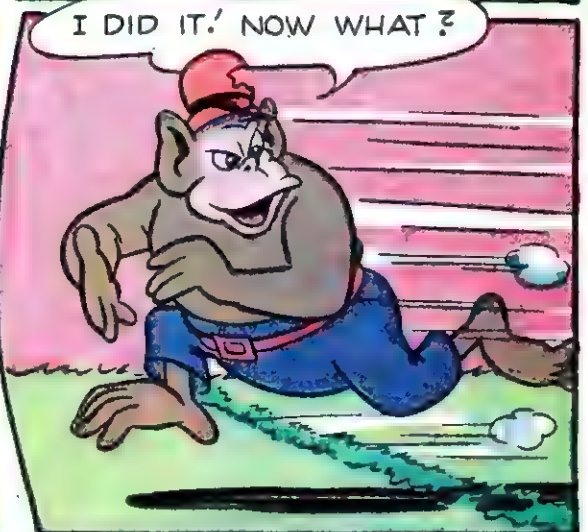
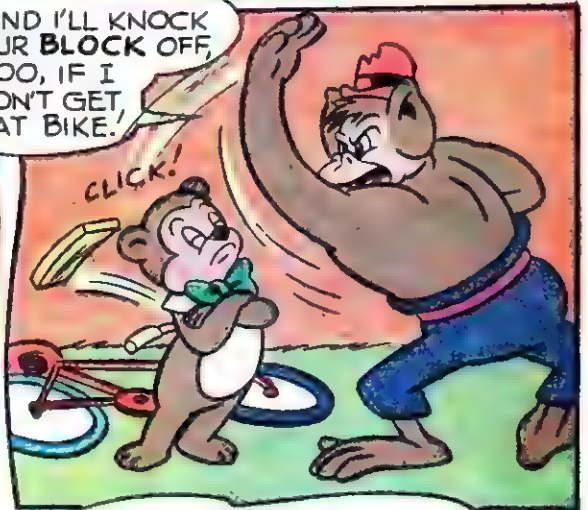
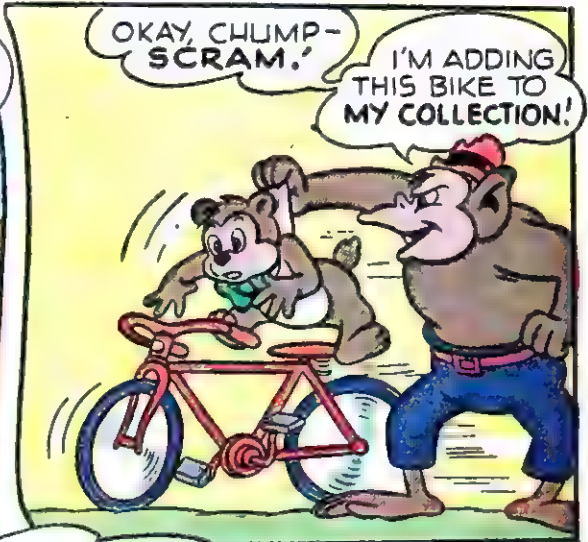
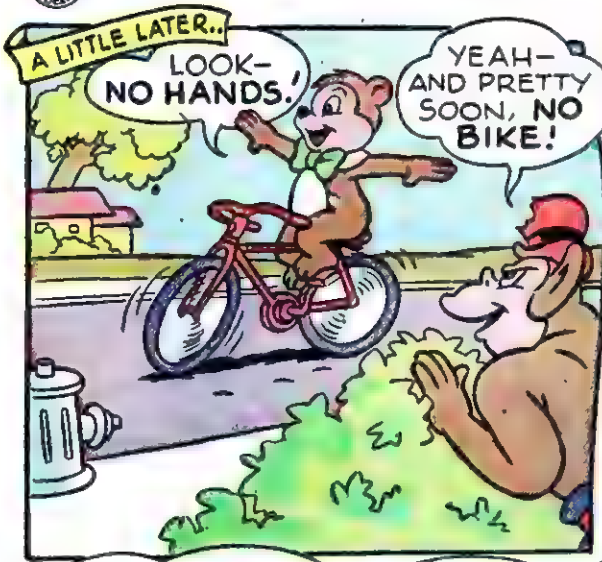
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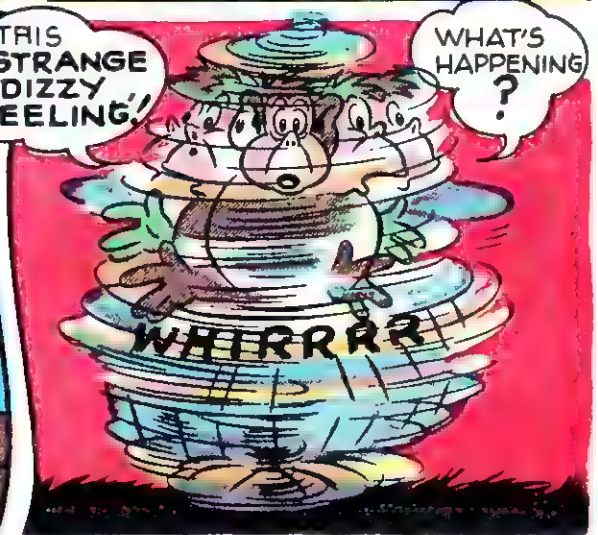
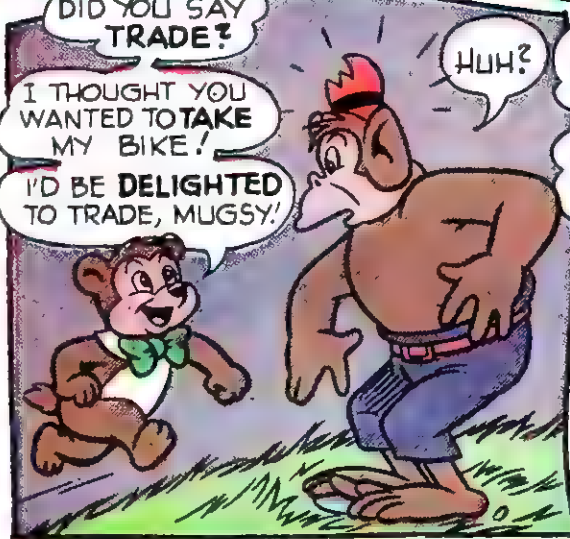


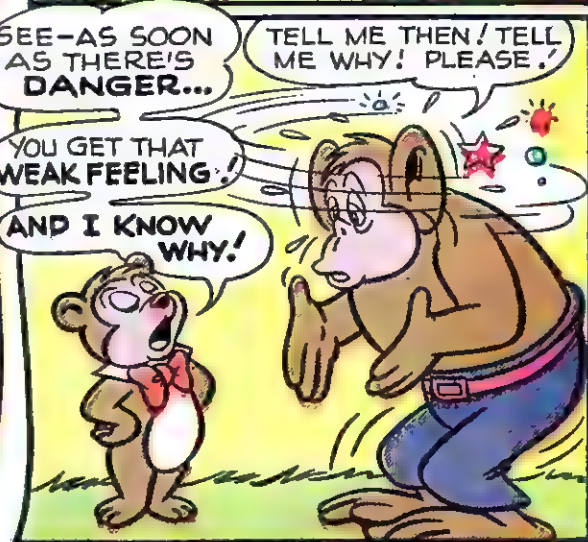
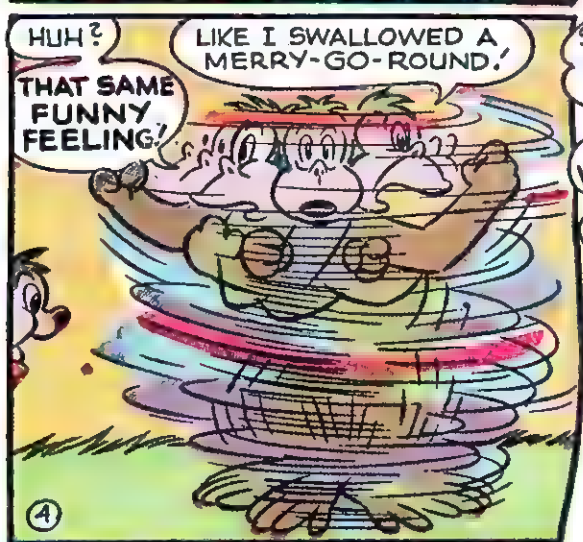
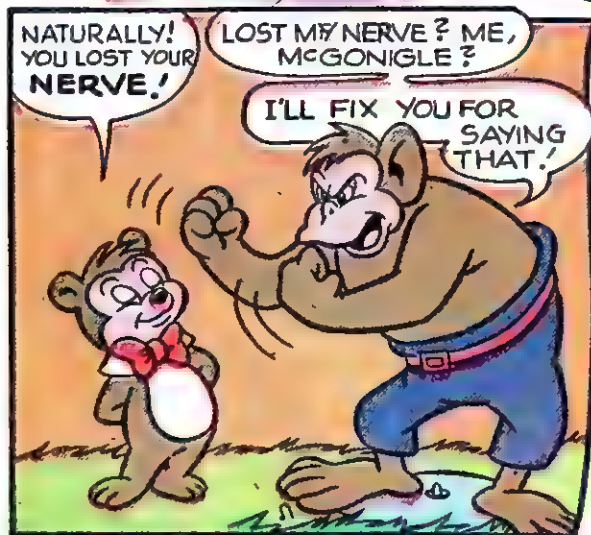
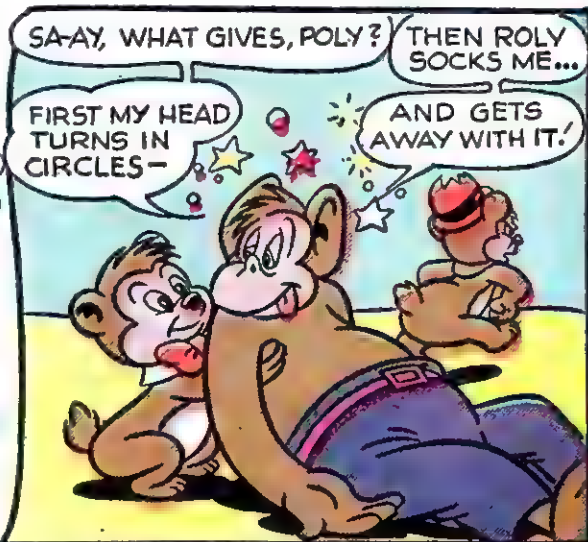
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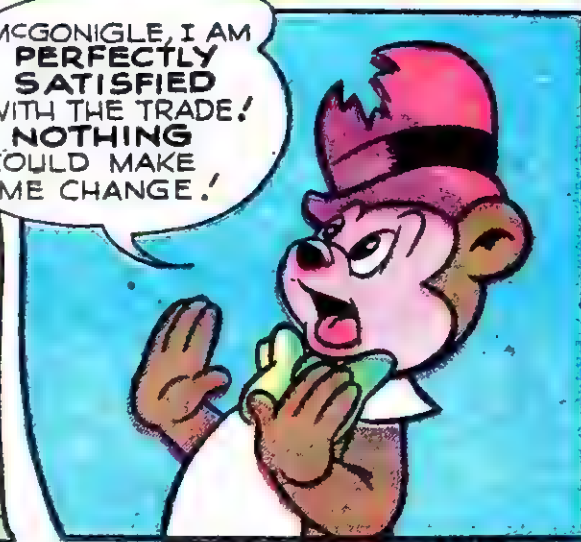
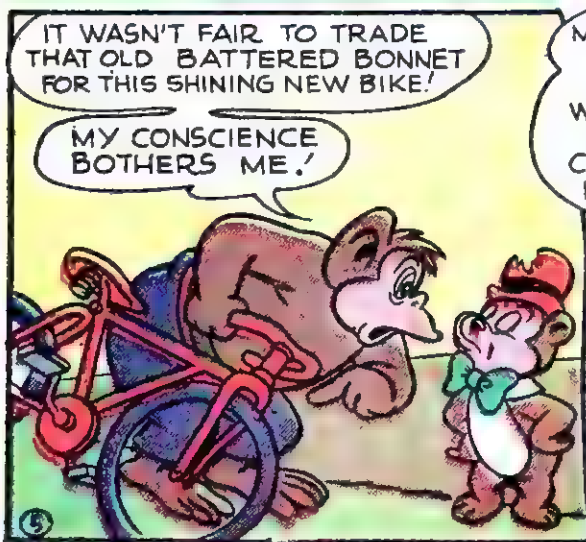
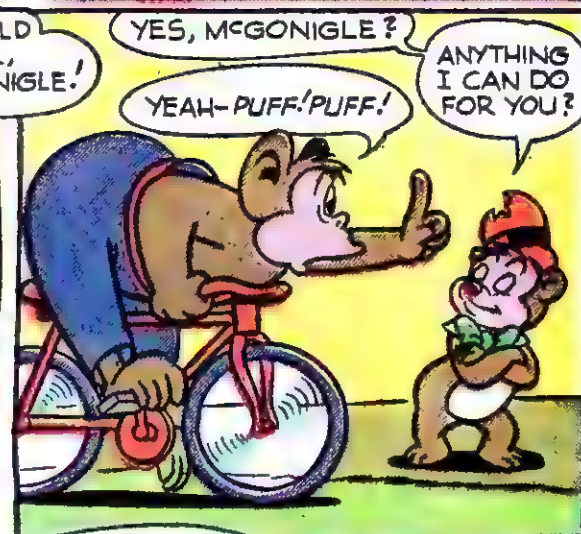
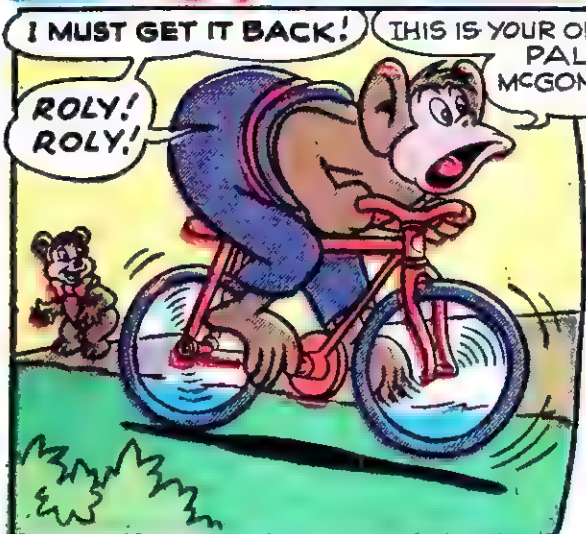
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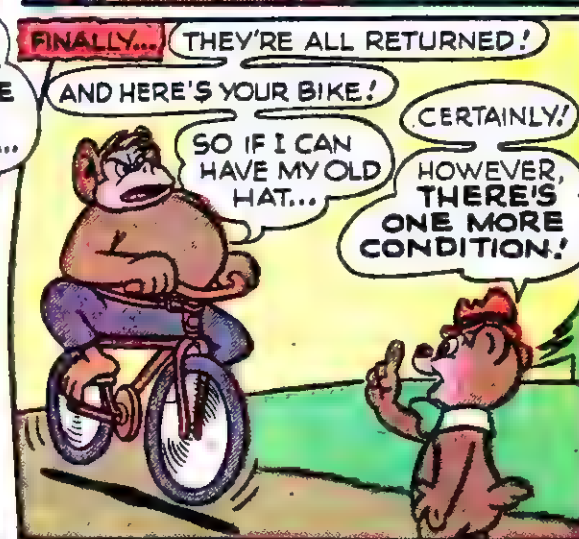
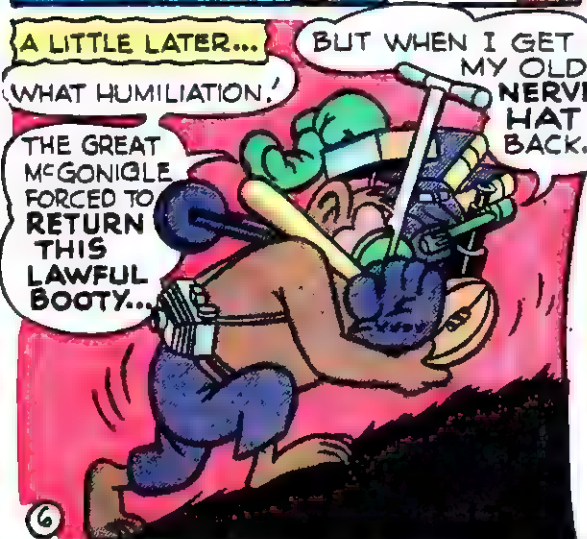
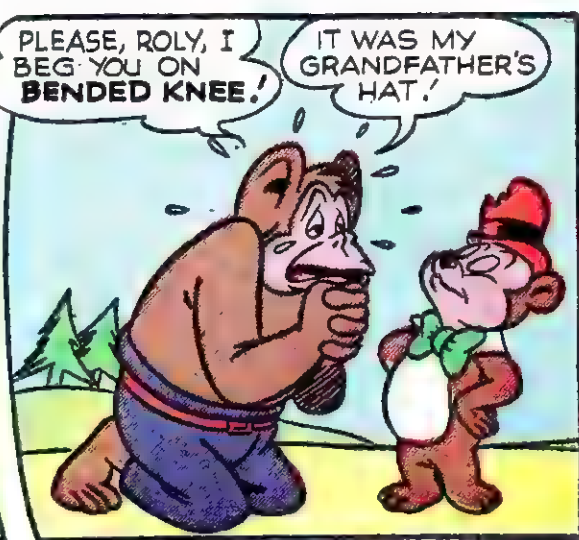
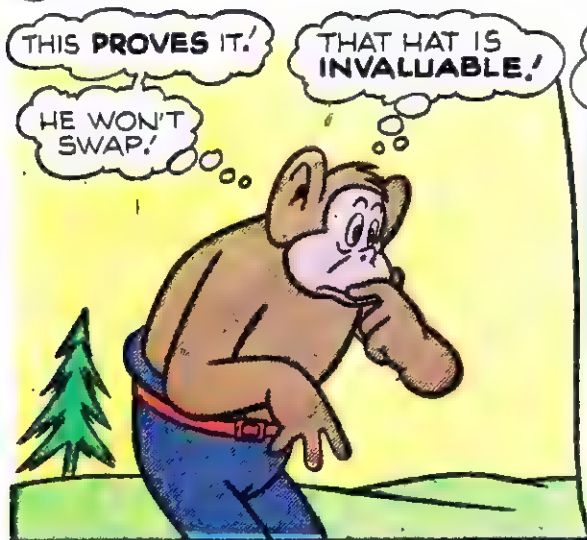


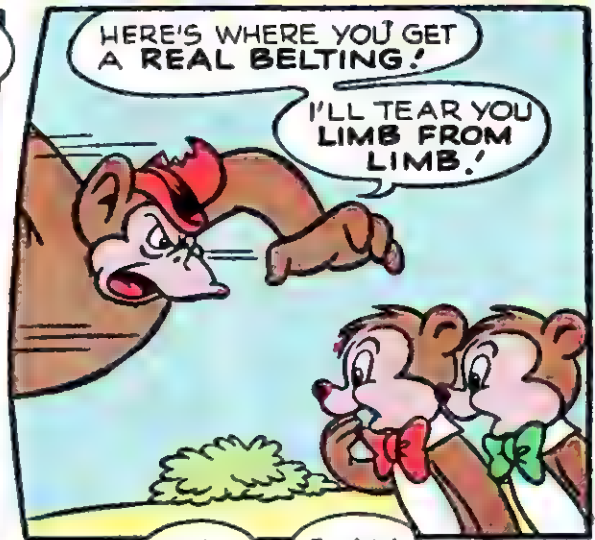
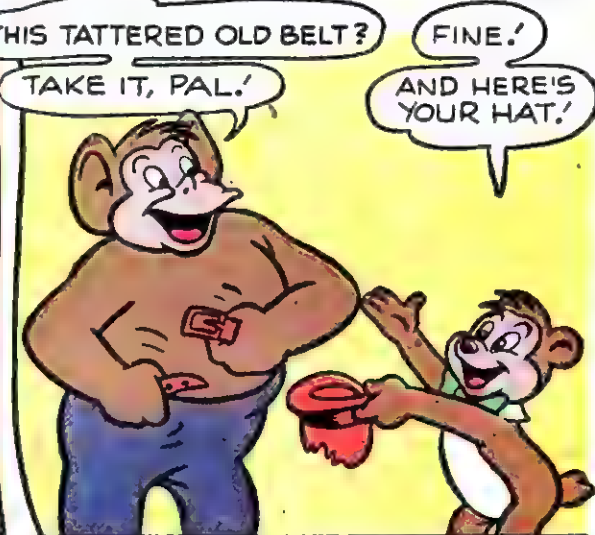












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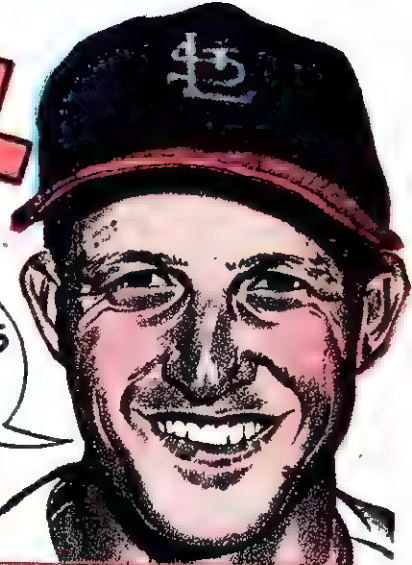


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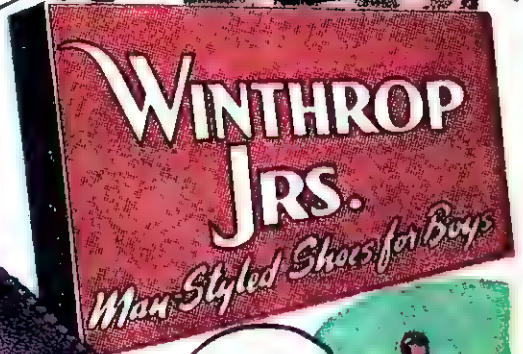
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Says:

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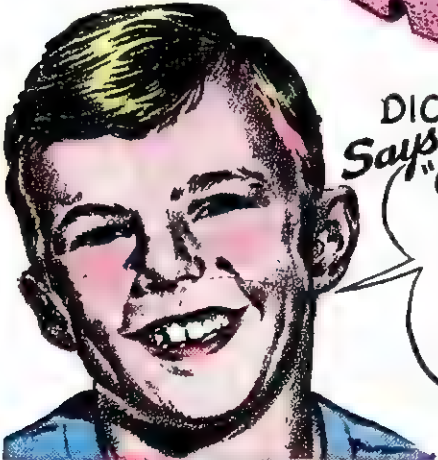
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DICK, SON OF HARD-HITTING STAN

Says:

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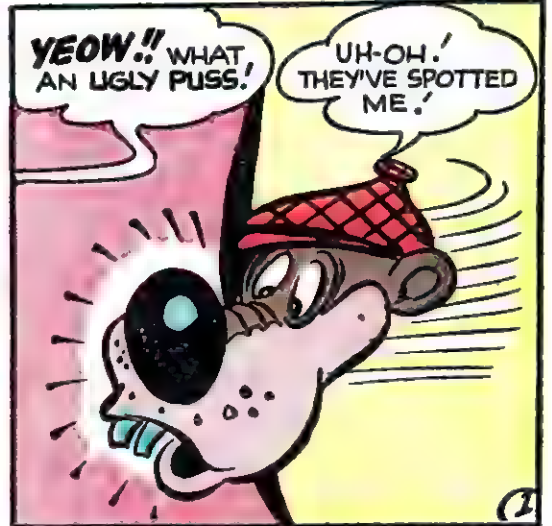
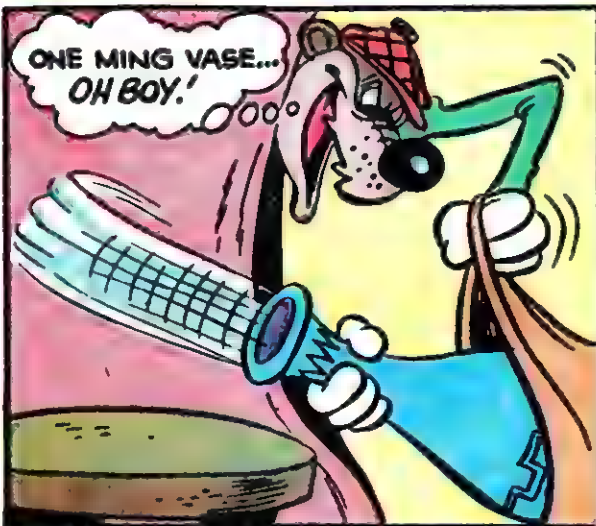
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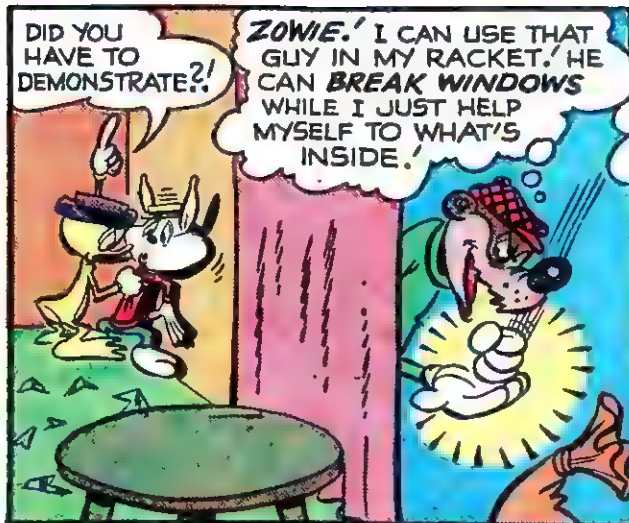
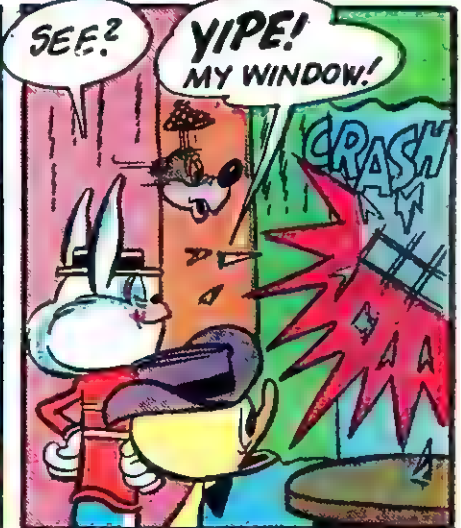
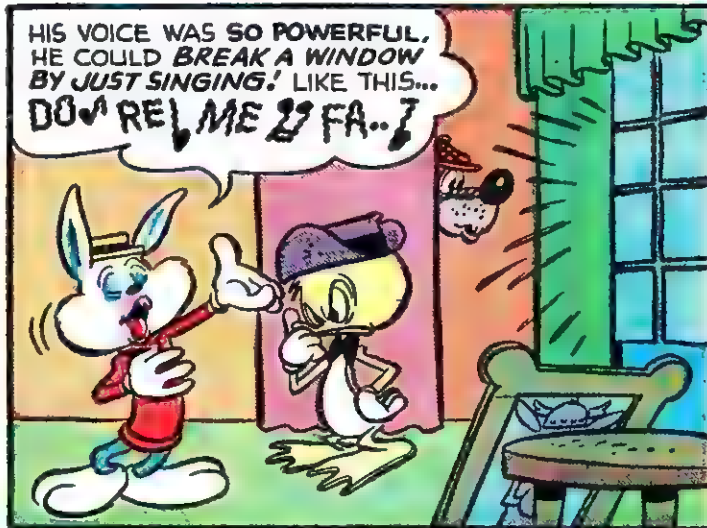
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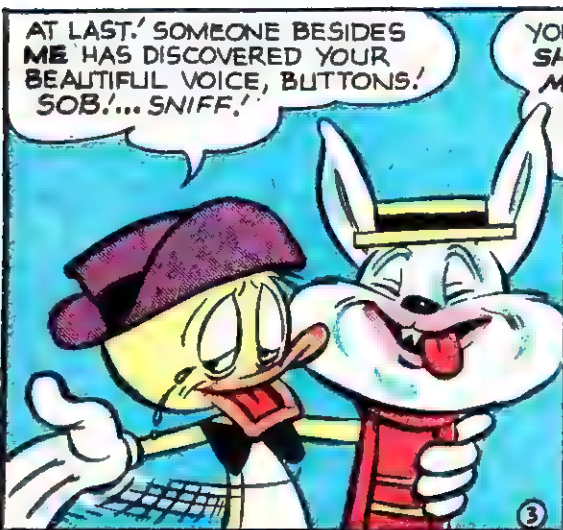
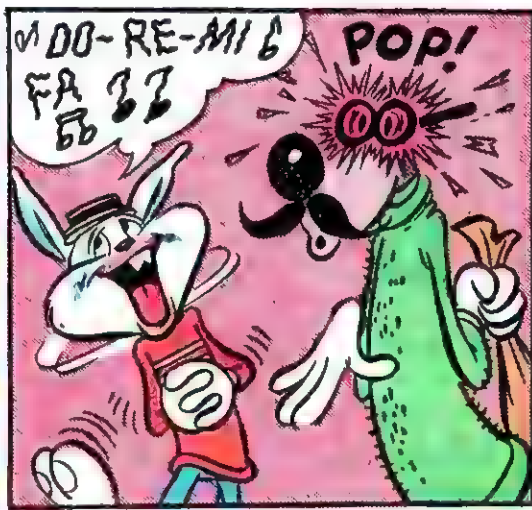
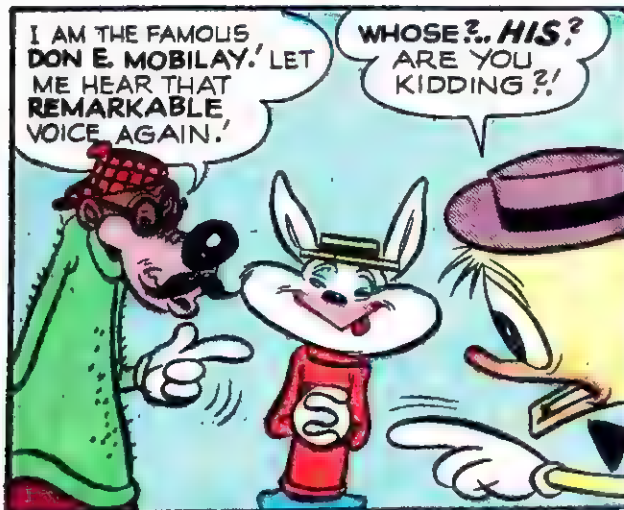
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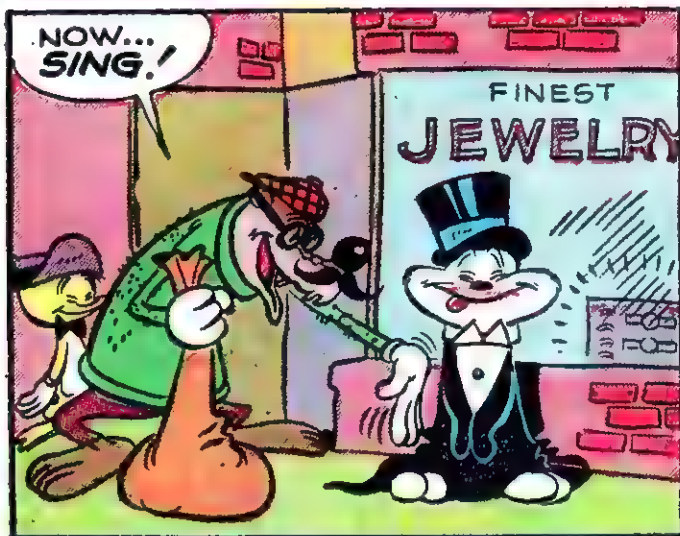
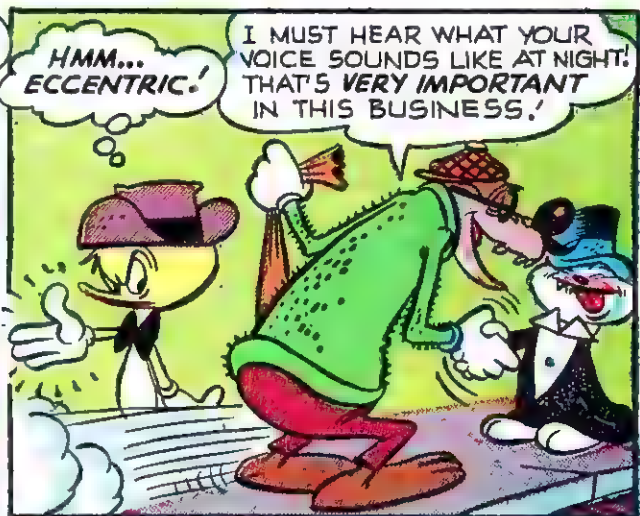
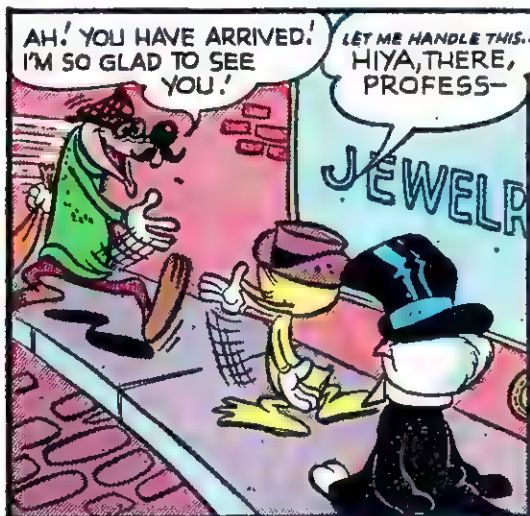


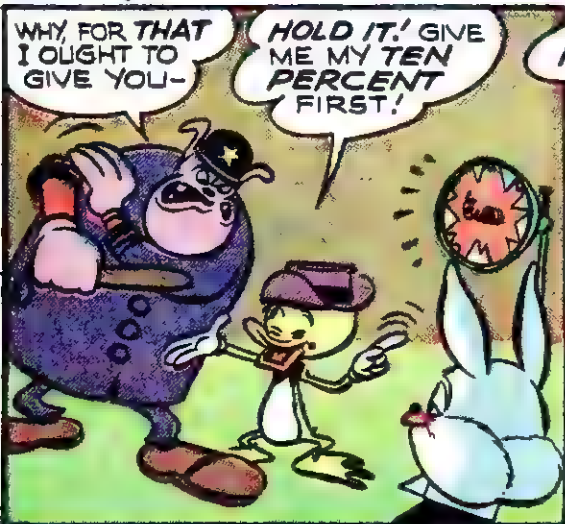
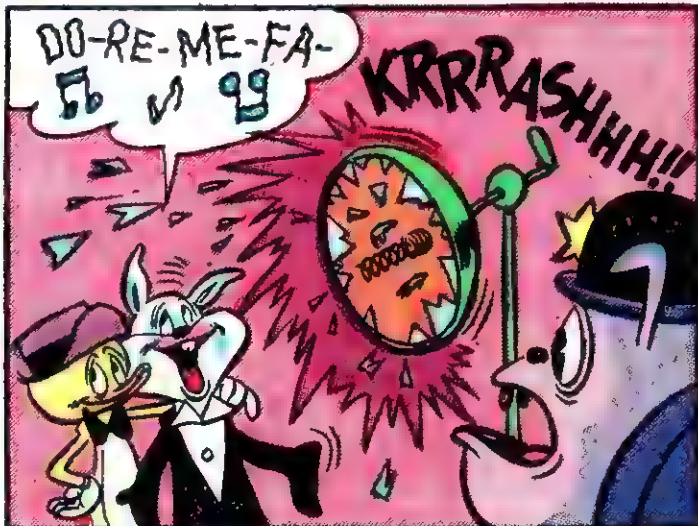
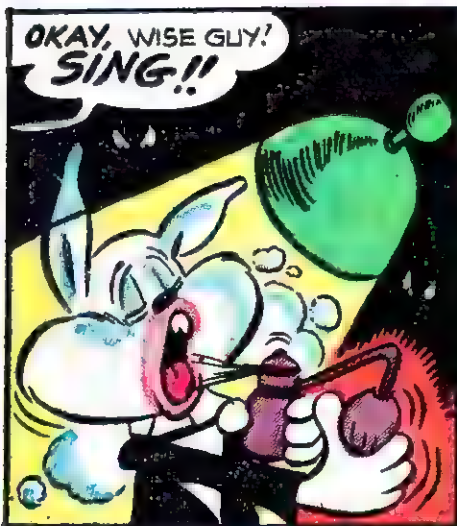
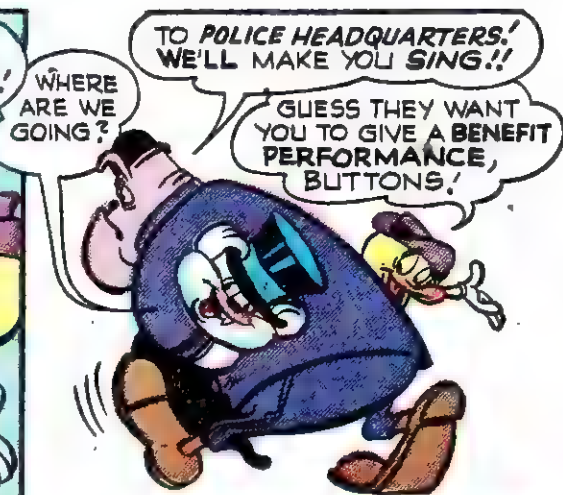
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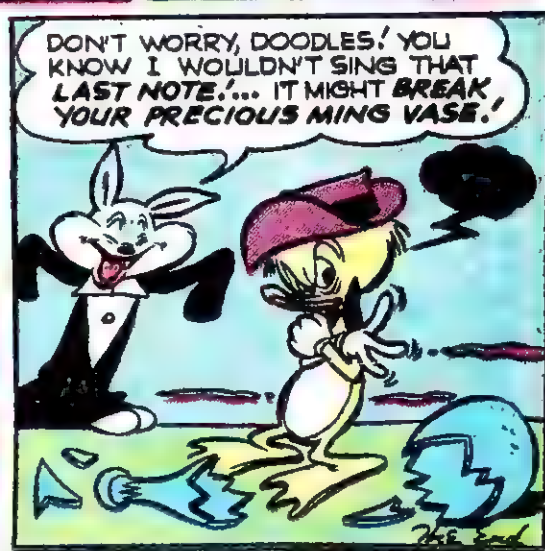
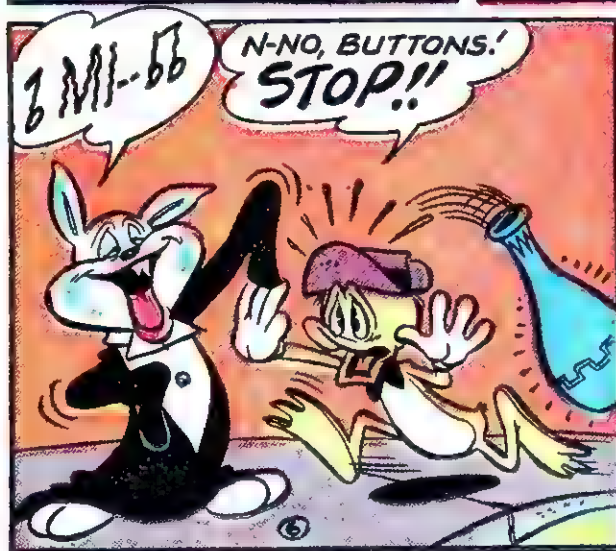
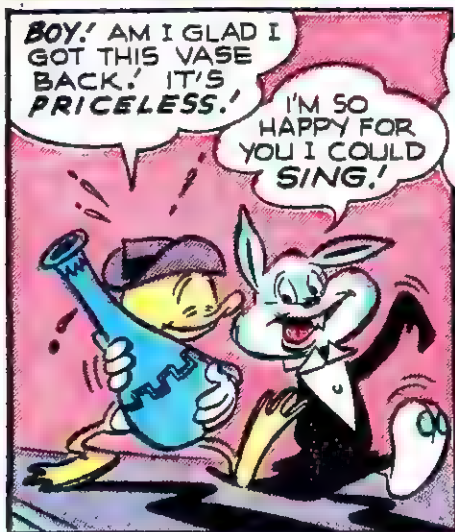
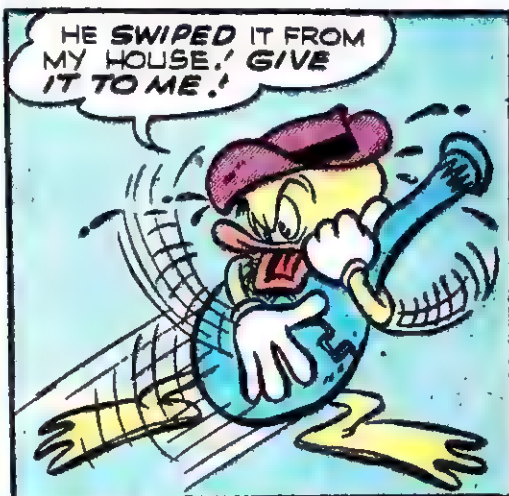
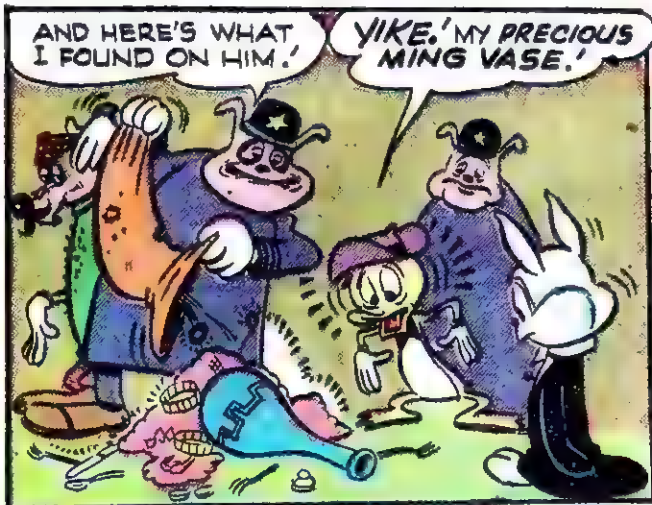


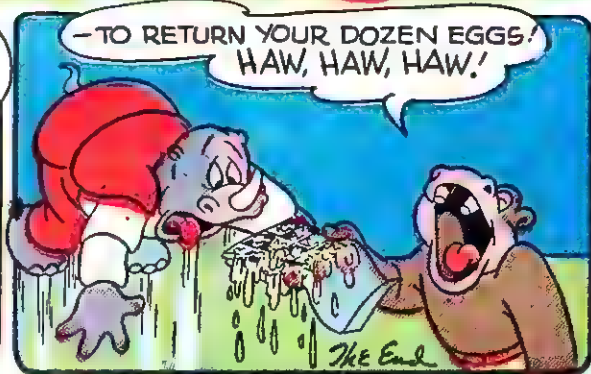
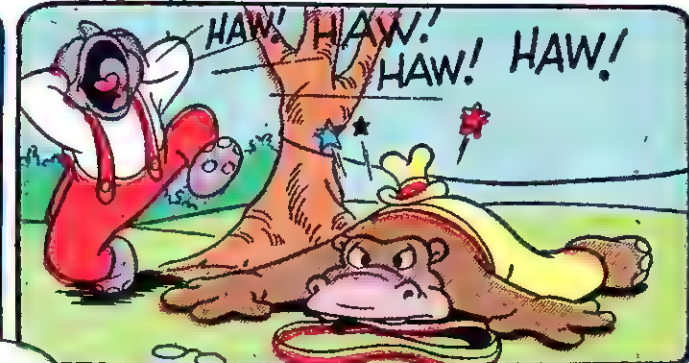
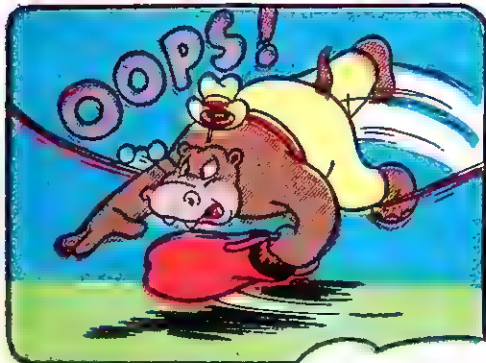
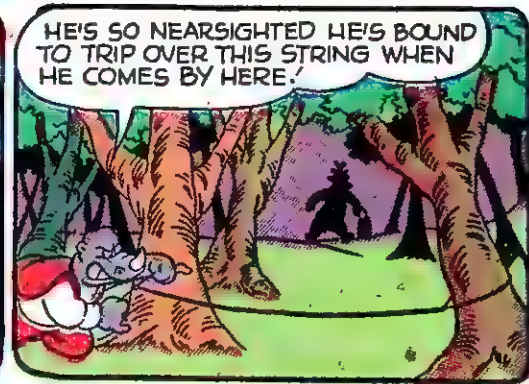












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THE TORTOISE AND THE HARE

MAY THE
BEST MAN WIN,
HARRY!

DON'T WORRY,
I WILL!!

THROCKMORTON



FOR
TOWN
COUNCILMAN

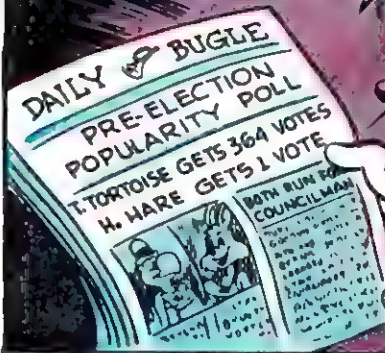
DON'T TURN BACK THE CLOCK
WITH A VOTE FOR THROCK



VOTE FOR HARRY HARE
GIVE THROCKMORTON
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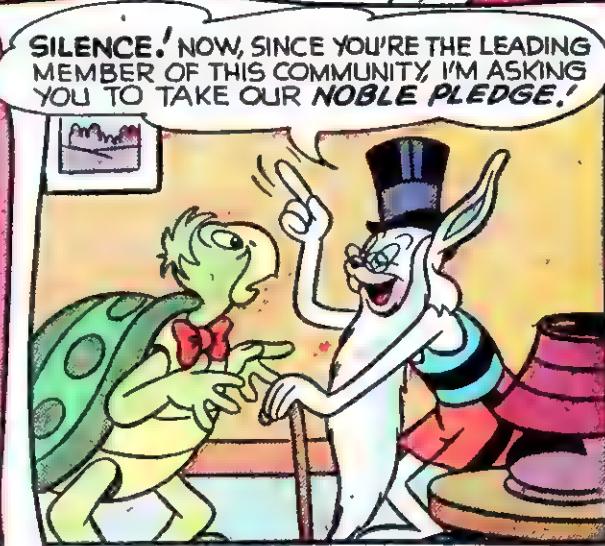
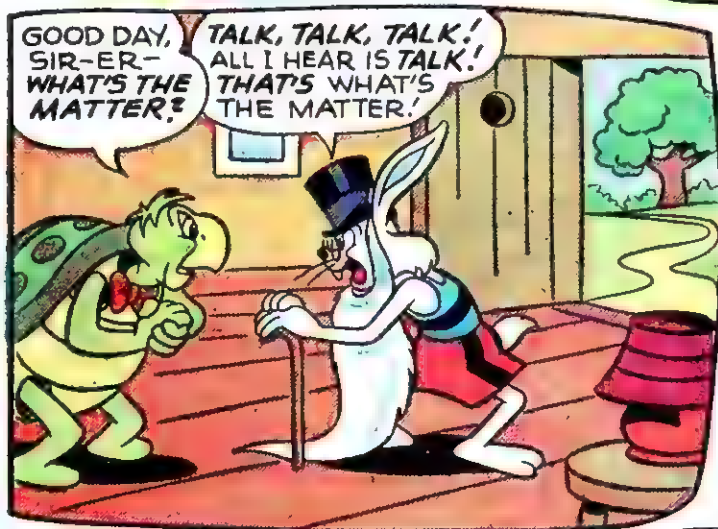


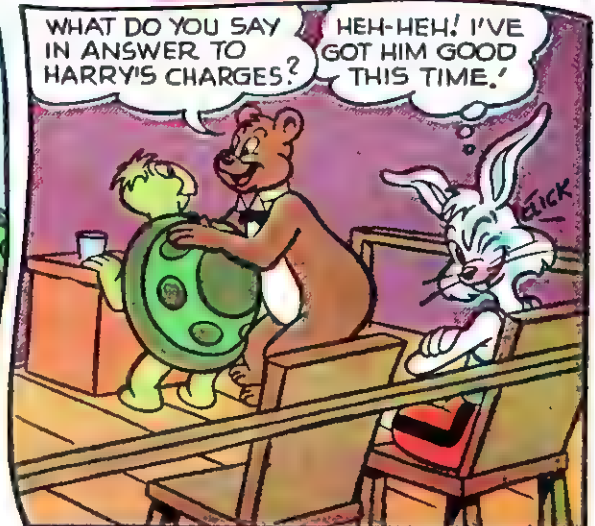
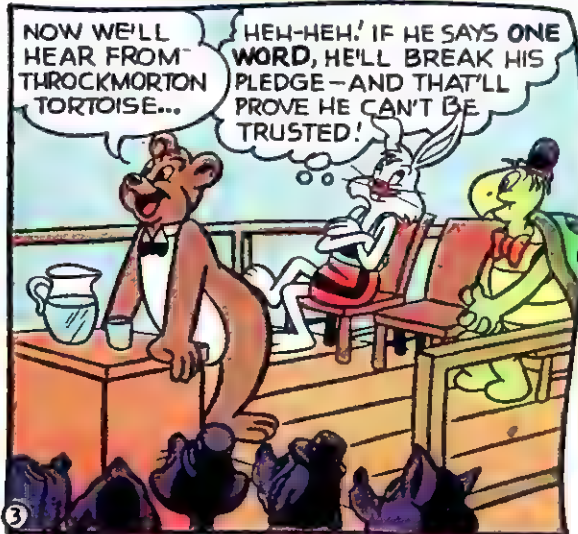
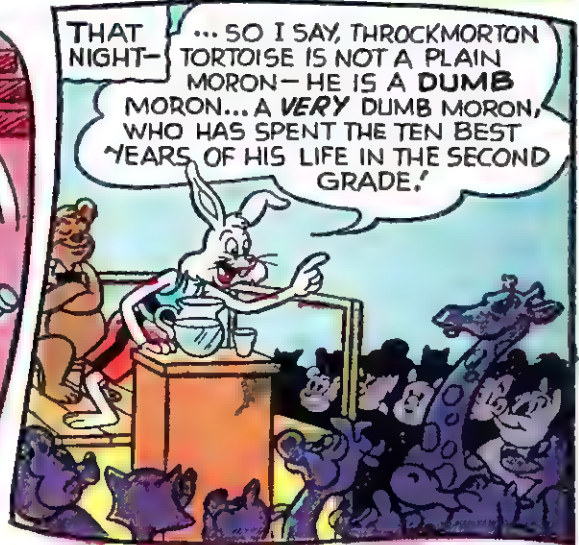
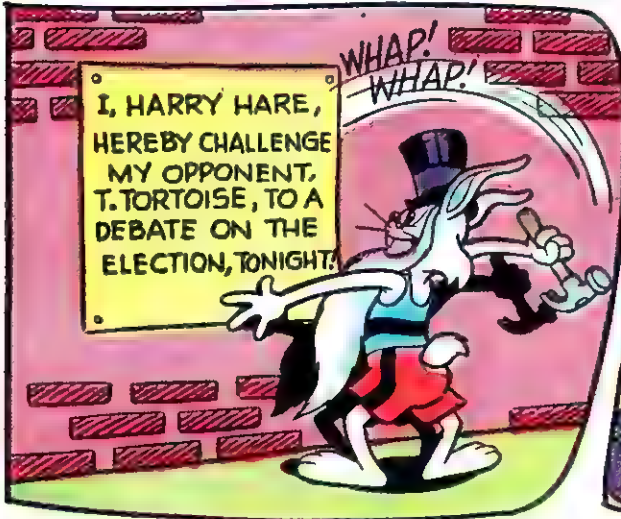
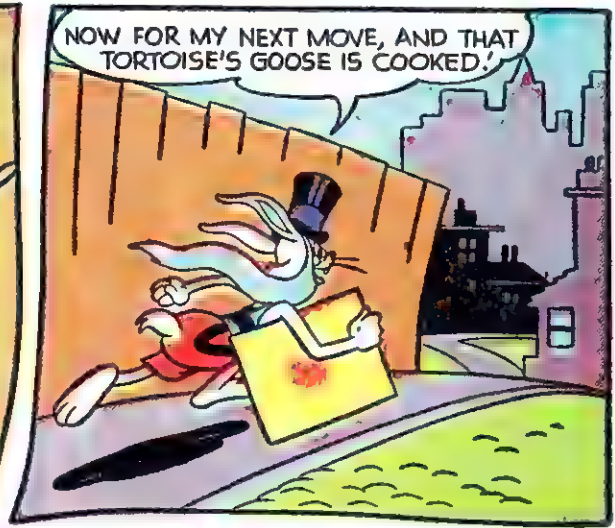
NO WONDER! ALL HIS
FRIENDS VOTED FOR
HIM! HMMMF!

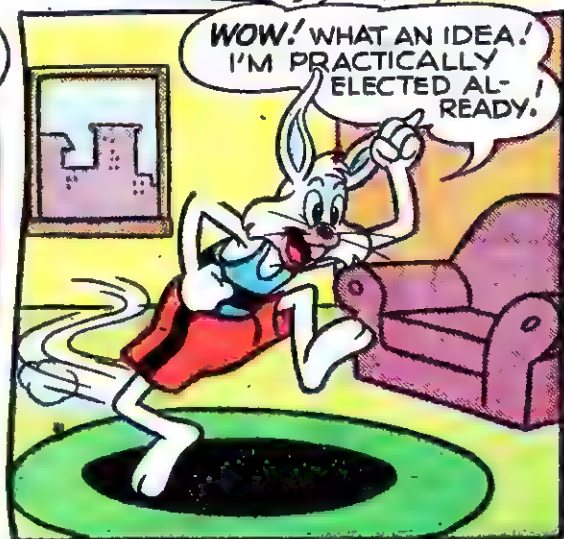
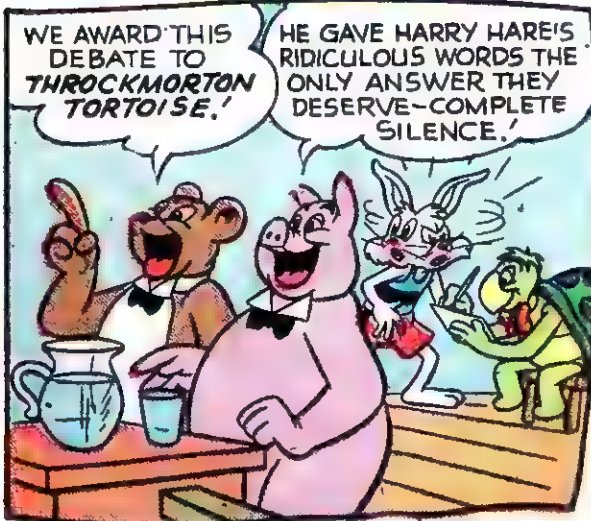
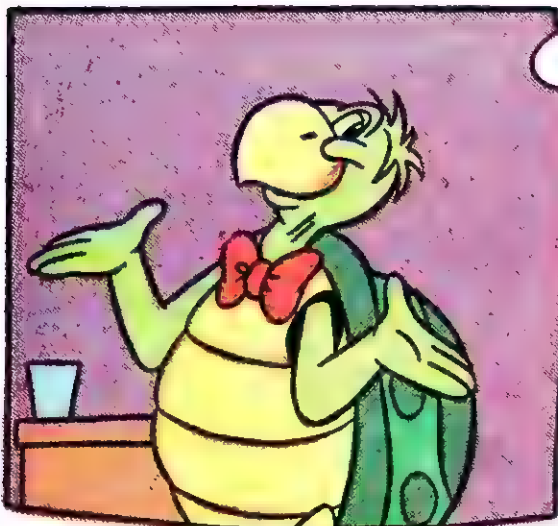


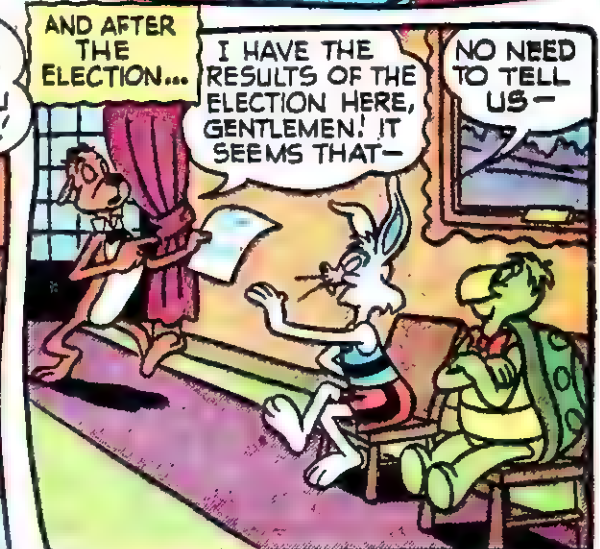
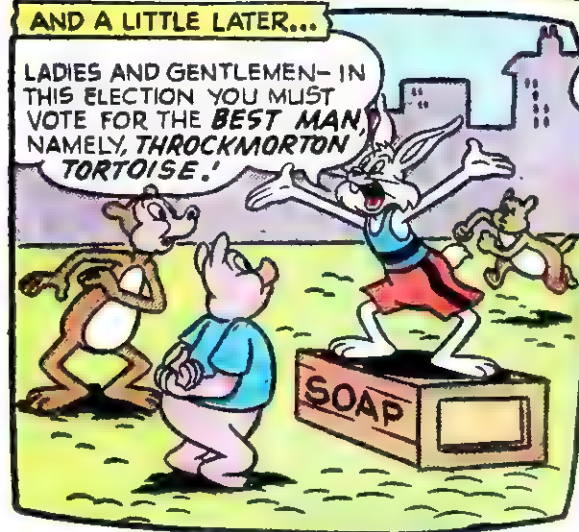
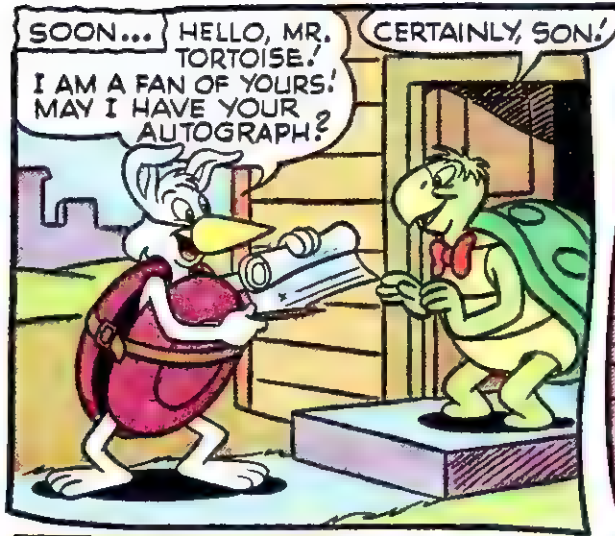
THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO WIN
THIS ELECTION, AND THAT'S TO
MAKE THROCK THE LAUGHING
STOCK OF
THE TOWN!

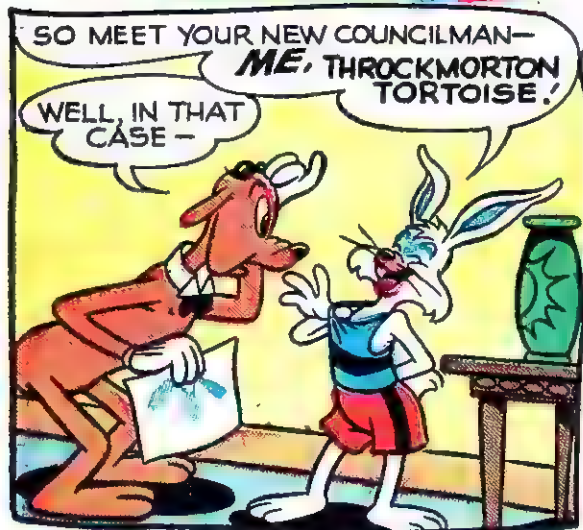


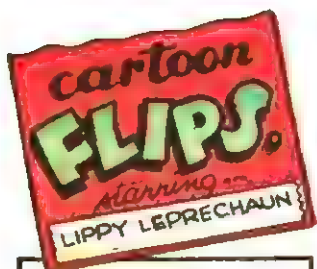












DID YOU EVER
SEE A LEPRECHAUN
DANCE? IT'S
QUITE A
SIGHT!



CUT OUT PANELS NO.1 AND NO.2. PLACE NO.1 DIRECTLY OVER
NO.2. THEN, AS SHOWN HERE, FLIP NO.1 RAPIDLY UP AND
DOWN... AND, *PRESTO...* YOUR CARTOON FLIPS WILL *move!*



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MA NATURE'S CURIOSITY SHOP

BEAVERS, WHO SPEND MOST OF THEIR TIME IN WATER, DO NOT EAT FISH. THEY ARE STRICT VEGETARIANS.

NOTHIN' LIKE A GOOD COMBINATION SALAD!



THE LAUGHING JACKASS IS NOT A DONKEY, BUT A BIRD LIVING IN THE AUSTRALIA WILDS. ALSO KNOWN AS THE KOOKABURRA, HE ENJOYS HIMSELF BY HIDING AND EMITTING SHRIEKS OF GURLING LAUGHTER WHEN PEOPLE ARE NEAR.

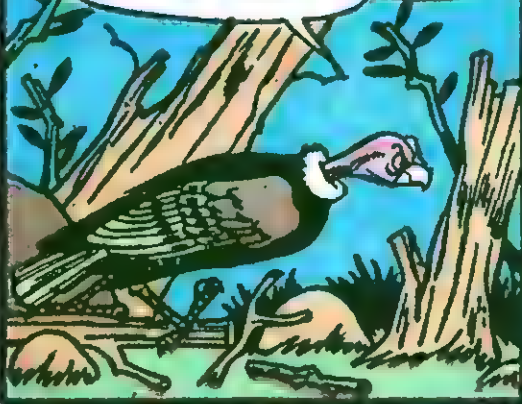


THE FUNNYBONE IS NOT A BONE, BUT THE NAME GIVEN TO THE ULNAR NERVE- ONE OF THE LEAST PROTECTED PARTS OF THE BODY.

THE ONLY APE THAT WALKS AND RUNS LIKE A MAN IS THE SLENDER, EXTREMELY AGILE, AND LONG-LEGGED GIBBON.

THE BIGGEST BIRD THAT FLIES IS THE SOUTH AMERICAN CONDOR, BUT HE CANNOT RISE FROM THE GROUND UNLESS HE HAS A LONG RUNWAY!

THIS IS DISGUSTING! I'M GONNA TAKE A WALK DOWN TO THE AIRPORT!



OW!



THAT'S ME!





PATRICK PARROT'S UNNATURAL HISTORY

TRANSLATED FROM
THE ANIMAL LANGUAGE

WHY THE BEAVER IS A BUSYBODY

ELMER ELEPHANT was in the middle of the Deep Pool, enjoying his tub and shower. And he was having a good time, too, as everyone within a quarter of a mile could hear. Snorts and grunts and once in a while a trumpet call resounded through the lush jungle. He'd fill up his trunk with water, bring it over his head, and—*splash!*

Watching Elmer take a bath was always a treat to the jungle folk, and he never failed to gather a crowd. So much so that Philo Fox once suggested that he and Elmer go partners and sell tickets.

Elmer didn't like the idea and said: "What do you think I am—a circus? Nothing doing! The show is free. If I charged 'em admission, I couldn't squirt water on 'em!"

Today, quite a number were gathered around the pool. There was Zeke Zebra, Robert Rooster, Philo Fox, Roscoe Rabbit, Pat Parrot, and several others. Nobody cared to sit down or get too close to the edge. They knew what would happen if they did. Elmer liked to make believe you were on fire and "Put You out."

"That certainly is a handy nose!" said Pat Parrot, admiringly.

"On him it looks good," said Roscoe Rabbit. "Now, on me . . ."

A sharp angry voice broke in. All turned to look around at the newcomer. It was Bert Beaver, standing with his hands on his hips and glaring at them.

"Loafing again, hey?" he said. "Haven't you people anything to do? And if so, why don't you get busy and do it?"

"My job's done for the day," said Robert Rooster. "I woke everybody up at dawn."

"And I'm busy taking a bath," gurgled Elmer Elephant.

"And we're busy watching him," said Zeke Zebra.

"Pooh!" exclaimed Bert Beaver. "I don't see how you find so much time to loaf. Now, I've got things to do, so if you'll excuse me, I'll go and do them."

And off he went, shaking his head and frowning.

"What's he so busy about, I wonder," said Philo Fox.

"And why is he busy at all?" asked Zeke Zebra. "Nobody else is."

"Well, if anybody were to ask *me*," said Pat Parrot.

"We *are* asking you!" gurgled Elmer. "Tell us, Pat, why the Beaver is such a busybody!"

"Well," said Pat, "I'll tell you, but don't breathe a word of this to Bert Beaver. I'm glad he's not here. Because his face would be very red if he knew the facts about his ancestor, Bosco Beaver. For Bosco was one of the most shiftless, lazy people who ever lived. Until, well . . .

"In those days, many millions of years ago, Bosco Beaver lived in a tree, like Sammy Squirrel. But he didn't hunt nuts and store them like Sammy. That was too much trouble. At first, he used to eat nuts, too, when he found them lying around. But even that took a lot of climbing up and down his big tree home. So he started to eat the bark of the tree in which he lived. That was tasty and easy and very handy.

"Then one day it started to rain—and it didn't stop for a week. Bosco stayed in his tree-hole, hoping it would stop, because he hated to get wet. But finally he became so hungry that he had to come out and get something to eat. The tree was pretty well cleared of bark by this time, and only the topmost part had any left. So he shinnied up the tree to the very top, grunting and groaning about his bad luck all the time. Just when he got away up there, a bolt of lightning hit the tree, and over it went.

"Now, for a week it had been raining so

hard that Bosco's tree was soon standing in a lake of water. But he didn't know that, so when the tree started to fall, Bosco thought he would be killed when he hit the ground. Instead, he fell with a great splash into the lake.

"Although Bosco couldn't swim, he was so fat from doing nothing that he floated with ease on the water. And as he floated, all kinds of juicy twigs and branches bumped up against him, all ready for the bark to be eaten from them. Bosco thought that was great. So he just stayed there and floated and ate and had a wonderful time.

"But Bosco had had such an easy time of it that he grew very big and fat and his teeth grew very large and long. The water-soaked twigs were so soft and juicy, he didn't have to chew them at all.

Bosco didn't mind that for a while. But then everything happened at once. The sun came out, the lake dried up, and Bosco couldn't chew the dried-up twigs with his long teeth.

"So he decided to whittle them down. He started to gnaw at a tree near a brook. The tree fell over and made a dam. The dam caught all the soft twigs in the water and held them for Bosco to eat.

"'Hooray!' said Bosco, 'Now I have soft twigs to eat again!'

"And he did. But he had to keep gnawing on trees to keep his teeth short, and that's been keeping all the Beavers busy ever since," concluded Pat Parrot.

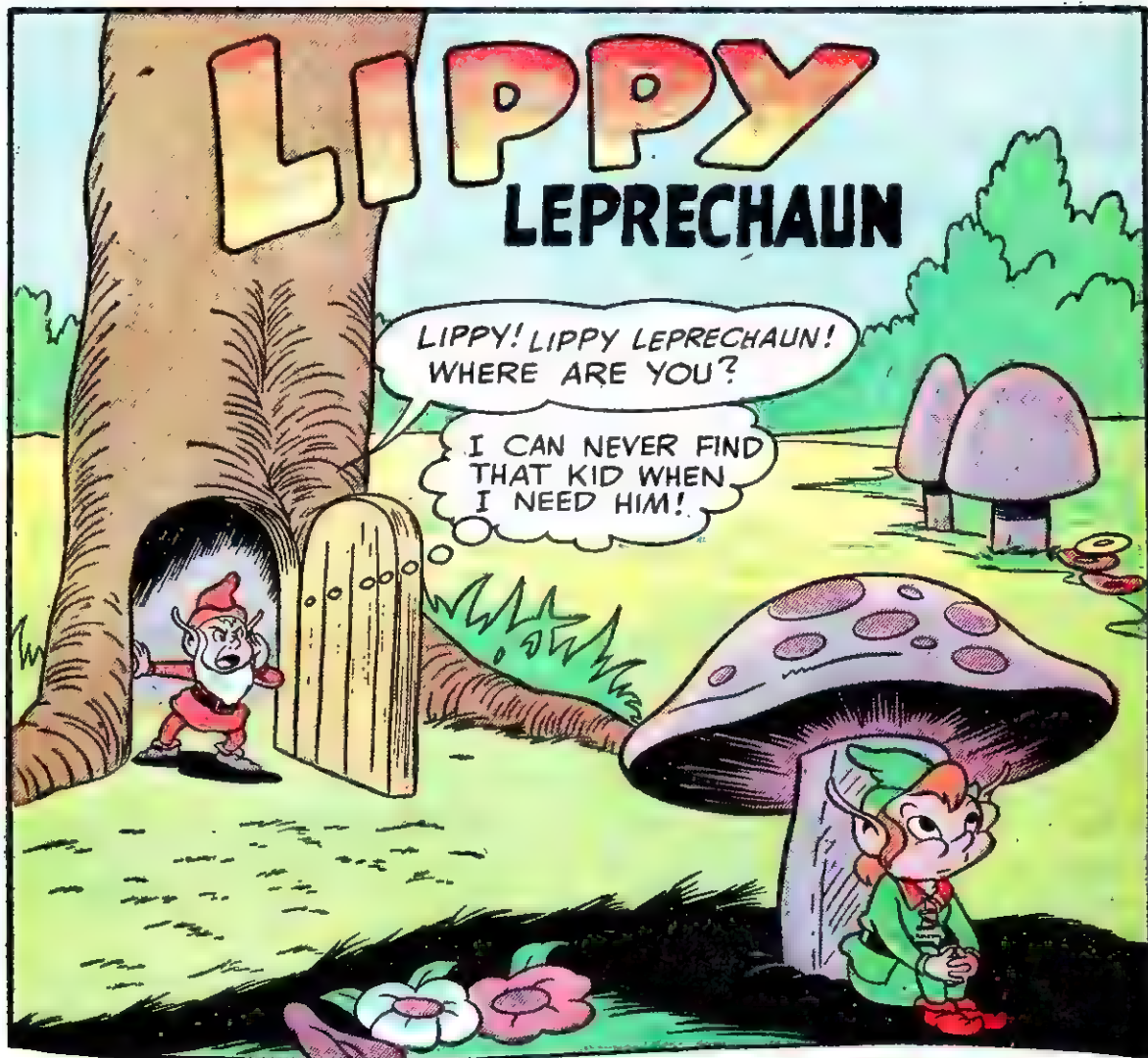
Elmer Elephant lifted his trunk from the pool, pointed it at Pat, and—Whoosh!

"You're all wet," said Elmer.

LIPPY LEPRECHAUN

LIPPY! LIPPY LEPRECHAUN!
WHERE ARE YOU?

I CAN NEVER FIND
THAT KID WHEN
I NEED HIM!



SO THERE YOU ARE!
WHY DIDN'T YOU
ANSWER
ME?

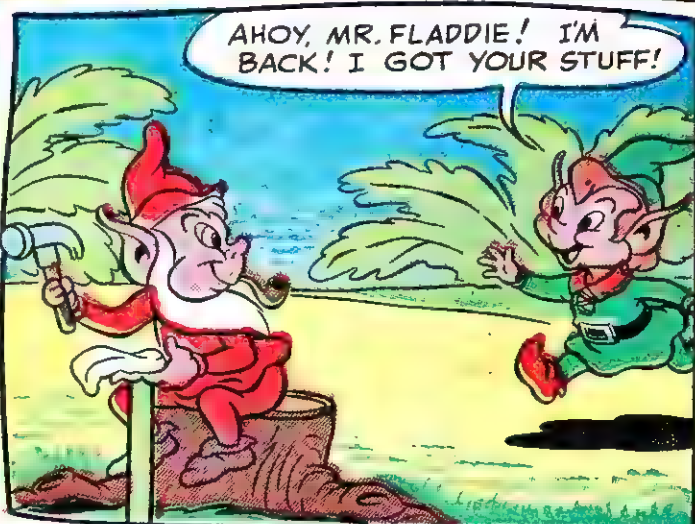
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THINKING AND I
DIDN'T HEAR
YOU!

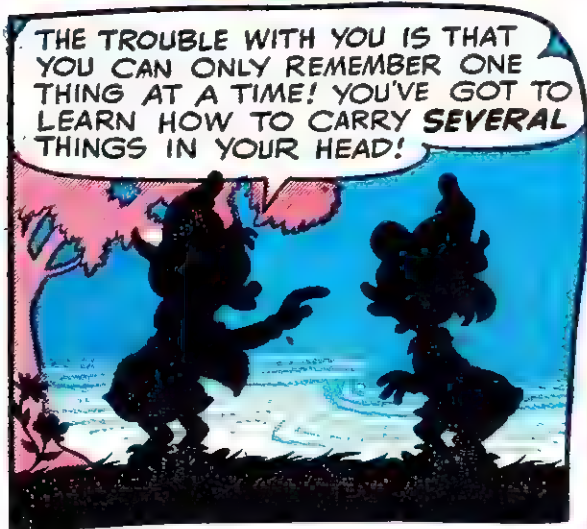


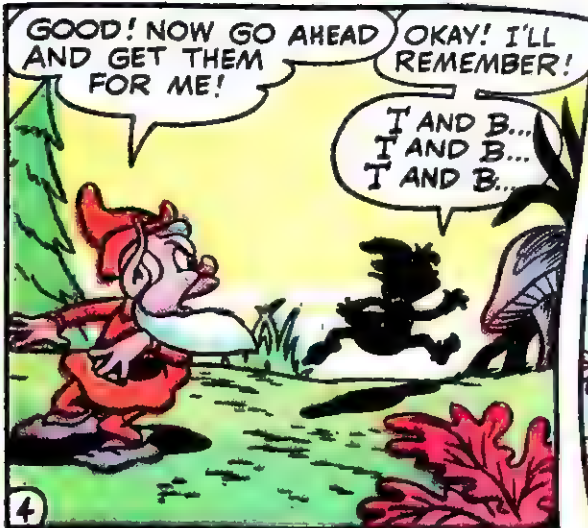
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WITH YOU IS THAT
YOU'RE JUST PLAIN
**ABSENT-
MINDED!**

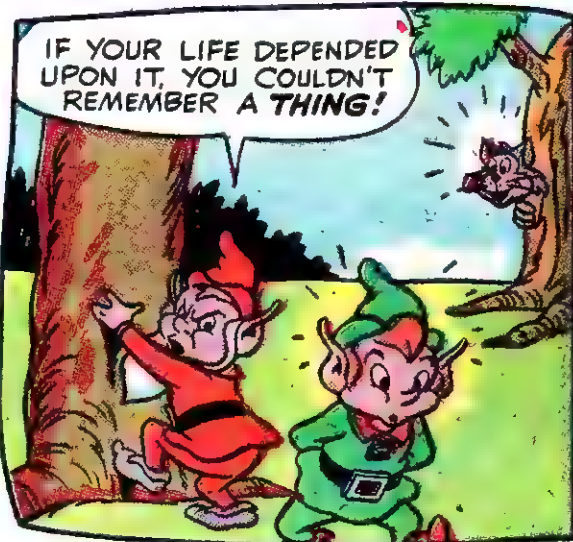
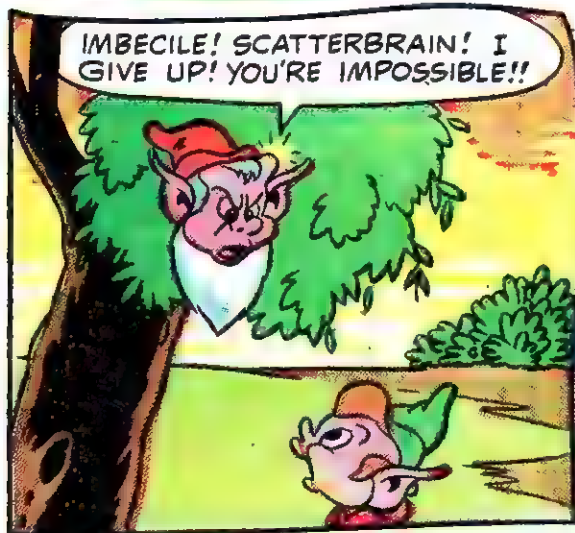
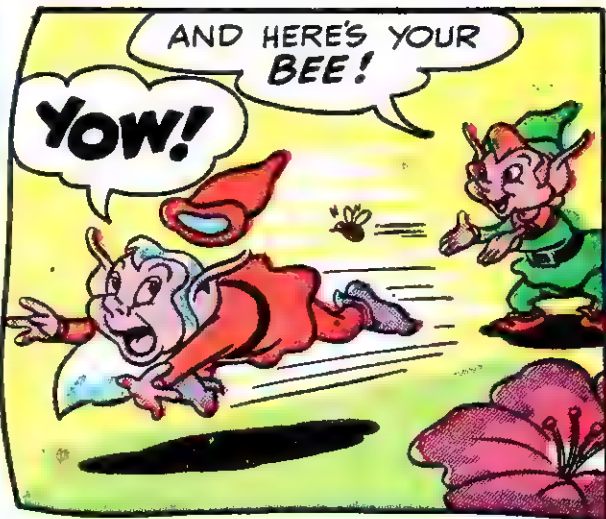
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BUT I
ALWAYS
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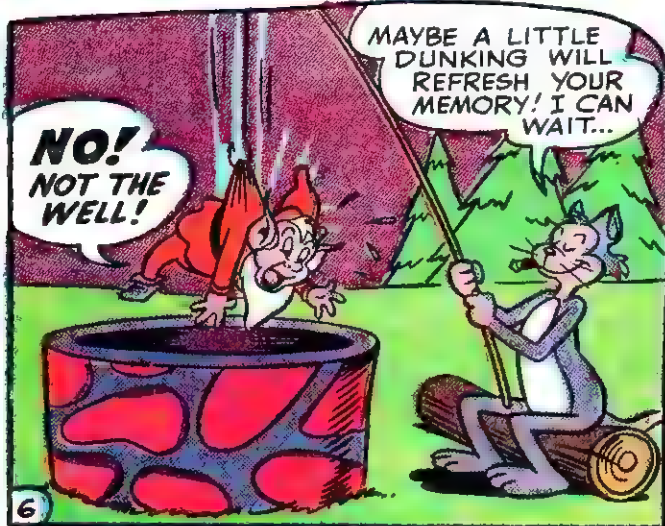


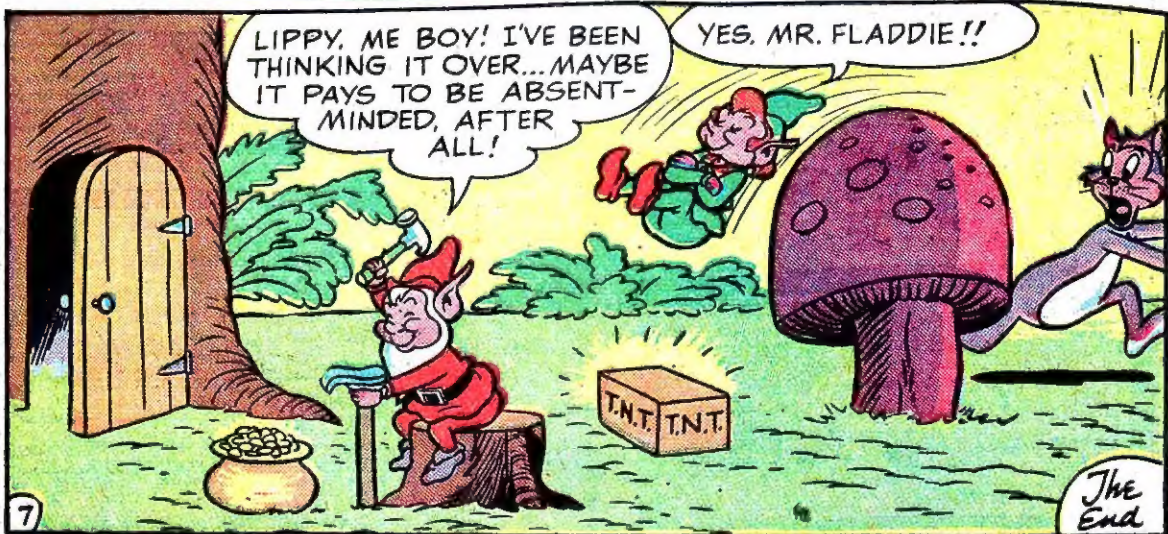
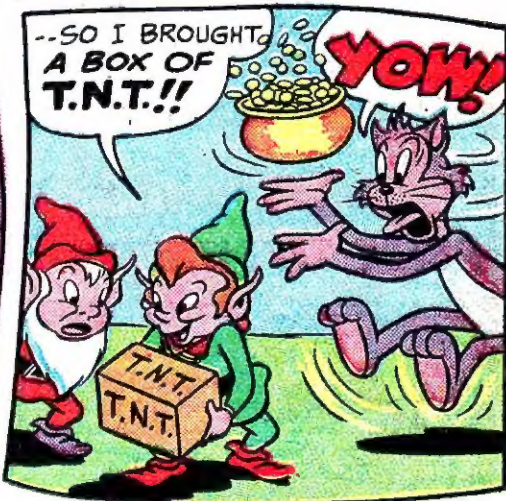
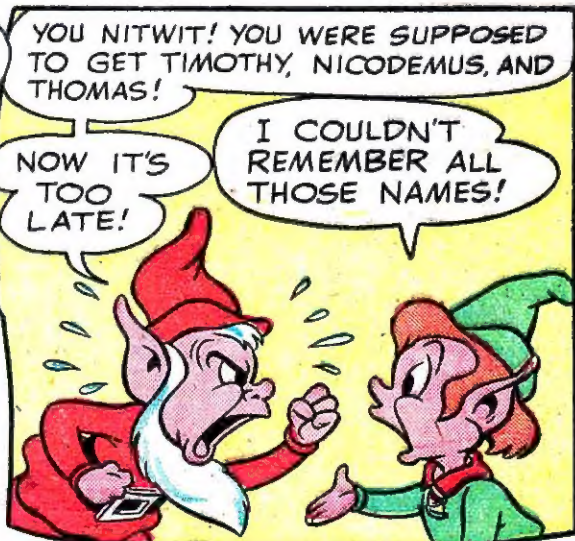
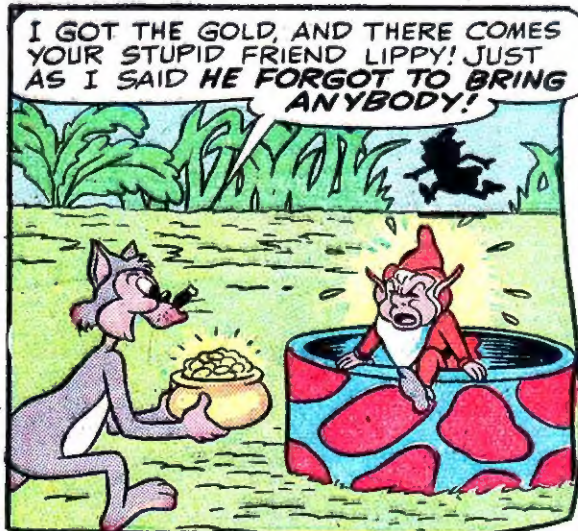












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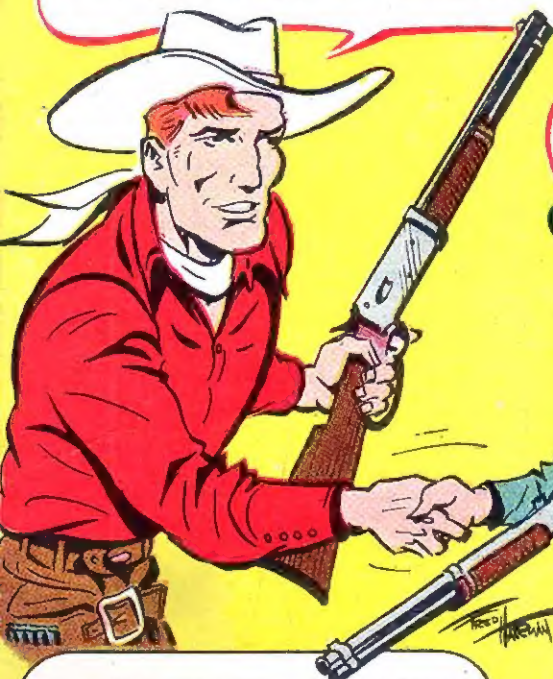


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